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HARDING FOR RIGID ENFORCEMENT OF DRY ACT

U. S. MAY TAKE PLACE ON TURK STRAITS BOARD

Turkey Reported Ready to Accept Allied Plan in Case American Participation is Promised

AWAIT WORD OF TURKISH STAND ON THE DARDANELLES QUESTION

Allies Solidly United to Oppose Plan to Give Islam Sole Control

WASHINGTON, D. C.—State department officials Thursday affirmed that American membership on the proposed international commission for control of the Dardanelles is one of the points that have been under consideration by the department.

This gives added force to the belief that one of the principle results of the Lausanne conference will be the re-entry, in a modified way, of the United states into the affairs of Europe and the near east. The Turks insist that any so-called neutral commission for straits control must have an American representative on it, in order for it to be acceptable to Turkey.

Lausanne reports Thursday continue to speak of the growing likelihood that the allied plan for straits control will be accepted by the Turkish delegates, rather than the Russian plan. The Turks are said to be inclined toward the allied proposals, with the one proviso that American participation be promised them, rather than that advanced by M. Tchitcherin, on the ground that greater safety for Turkey lies in trusting the guardianship of the straits zone to several powers than to any one power, even though that power should be Soviet Russia.

Await Turk Announcement

LAUSANNE.—By The Associated Press.—The near east conference Friday awaited with interest the divulgence of Turkey's plans for control of the straits. Ismet Pasha, who has cautiously allowed Russia and the entente to tell their plans in detail, has sparred for time for many days without a frank statement of Turkey's views.

Ismet has learned that the United States stands practically with the entente powers and the little entente in opposing the Russian plan, which contemplated absolute control of the straits by Turkey, barring the waterway to the warships of all nations except Turkey.

The visit of Premier Mussolini here Thursday gave notice that the entente is solidly united against the Russian position and gave Ismet as much information as to Europe's attitude toward the Dardanelles question as he could hope to obtain.

Many Turkish leaders, doubting the permanency of the bolsheviki regime in Russia, have counselled against too close co-operation with the soviet delegation at the expense of cordial relations with the naval powers.

WOOD TO RETAIN GOVERNOR POST IN PHILIPPINES

WASHINGTON. — Major General Leonard Wood has resigned the office of provost of the University of Pennsylvania in order that he might "comply with the expressed wishes of the administration" and remain as governor general of the Philippine Islands, it was officially announced Friday by the war department.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Somewhat colder tonight. Slowly rising temperature Saturday.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Colder tonight in east and south portions.

For Iowa—Fair tonight and Saturday. Somewhat colder tonight in south portion.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

5 a. m.	10	10 a. m.	10
7 a. m.	6	11 a. m.	11
8 a. m.	[illegible]	12 m.	12
9 a. m.	[illegible]	1 p. m.	11

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Low last night	Yesterday's high	Prec.
Bismarck	—10	4	.04
Chicago	28	42	.08
Denver	24	54	
Helena	19		
Huron	4	12	.06
Jacksonville	64	75	
Kansas City	20	64	
LA CROSSE	10	30	.08
Madison	[illegible]	34	.16
Memphis	66	68	.26
Medicine Hat	—12	4	
Milwaukee	20	35	.04
Miles City	—16	2	
New York	29	35	.26
New Orleans	74	80	.14
San Diego	54	60	.02
San Francisco	42	62	.20
Minneapolis	6	13	.01
Washington	25	40	.04

SANTA CLAUS PLANS A JOURNEY BY AUTO FOR NEXT MONDAY

Will Visit Eleven Cities and Villages North of this City

ALSO WILL CALL AT SCHOOL HOUSES AND GIVE OUT CANDY

Big Day's Work is Planned by the Jolly Old Chap

Santa Claus will take another "swing around the circle" Monday, December 11, visiting the following towns: Mindoro, Burr Oak, Melrose, North Bend, Stevenstown, Galesville, Centerville, Trempealeau, Holmen, Midway, Onalaska.

Owing to the fact that the trip is to be made by automobile, no definite time can be given as to the exact arrival of Santa Claus in the various towns; but, weather and road conditions permitting, he will visit his little friends on the route named, some time on Monday.

Not only will he stop in the towns, but every school house on the route will be visited, and he will distribute candy and little gifts.

Children are asked to be on the lookout for him and be ready to give him a royal welcome. It must be borne in mind, however, that his trip depends on the roads and weather conditions. He is always glad to get letters from the children, and mail addressed to him in care of the Chamber of Commerce, La Crosse, will be delivered to him promptly. Both Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus hold public receptions every afternoon at 4 o'clock. If any out-of-town folks happen to be in La Crosse, they will get a warm welcome from the children's patron saint.

HENS STILL LAY IN ZERO WEATHER AT POULTRY SHOW

Being on Exhibition Means Nothing to Lady Hen and She Keeps at Work

Who said high sclass chickens did not lay as well as mongrels?

If anyone has any doubt about this a visit to the poultry show now in progress in the large poultry building on the fair grounds, will prove that eggs can be obtained in winter when they sell for fifty to sixty cents per dozen. With the thermometer hovering around the zero mark the birds in their neat wire cages huddle in one corner, prepare a nest and in a few minutes are strutting about cackling to inform the world that they are helping to provide fresh eggs for use on the tables of even those who are not particularly interested in the feathered tribe. The fact remains that people of all walks of life enjoy a fresh egg for breakfast, still they pay so little attention to the work of the men who are devoting their time and efforts to improve poultry not alone for standard requirements, but for commercial purposes as well.

This in brief is the object of the poultry show to which the public is invited without being charged an admission fee. The management is holding the show, not as a money making enterprise, but for the purpose of encouraging the breeding of more and better poultry for the benefit of the people at large and on that basis it is asking for support.

The show is well balanced, nearly all breeds and varieties being represented. Among the winners are birds shown last week at the National Milwaukee and the Rochester, Minn., shows. The judging is completed and visitors may inspect all the winners in all departments. Come as often and remain as long as they like. The show will be open every day and evening, closing next Sunday night.

MAYOR MAY HAVE TO PAY FOR COAL HE BOUGHT FOR NEEDY

SUPERIOR, Wis.—Mayor Fred Baxter may have to pay for the $57 worth of fuel he purchased to help poor families last winter, according to an opinion given by T. L. McIntosh, city attorney, Thursday. Mr. McIntosh asserts that it was illegal for any city commissioner or all the city commissioners in council to donate funds for charity under the present form of handling that phase of government. It is stated in the city charters that either the county can handle charities, or turn them over to the city. There is no provision for correlated activity he asserted.

When informed of Mr. McIntosh's opinion Friday, Mayor Baxter maintained that he was within his rights in the action.

Perry New Dry Director For Badger State

WASHINGTON.— Appointment of Clark M. Perry as acting prohibition director for Wisconsin, was announced Friday by Acting Commissioner Jones of the prohibition unit. Perry succeeds J. A. Stone, resigned.

DISASTROUS FIRE SWEEPS ASTORIA'S BUSINESS DISTRICT

Ten Blocks Destroyed; Two Lives Lost; Property Damage Will Reach Four Million

PORTLAND SENDS FIRE FIGHTERS TO AID IN CHECKING FLAMES

Buildings Dynamited to Prevent Further Spread of Blaze

ASTORIA, Ore.—Ten blocks of the business district of this city were wiped out, two lives were lost and property damage estimated at $4,000,000 had been caused by a fire which broke out shortly after three o'clock this morning. Most of the big business houses had been burned and firemen, aided by forces from the Portland fire department had dynamited buildings in an effort to check the flames.

Portland Sends Help

PORTLAND, Ore.—Fire raging at Astoria, Oregon, a port near the mouth of the Columbia river, had destroyed ten blocks of the business district early today and threatened to wipe out the town. The Portland fire department responded to a call for help with equipment and so, but buildings were being dynamited in an effort to check the flames.

The police department here, judging from reports received from Astoria, estimated that the fire already had caused damage of $4,000,000 at daybreak.

The fire started shortly after three o'clock this morning and spread with such rapidity that it soon was beyond control.

Origin Not Known

Whether there were casualties was not learned from the meager dispatches from Astoria. Nor was the origin of the fire disclosed.

Astoria had a population of 14,020 at the 1920 census. Its sea-going commerce was principally in lumber.

The business section of Astoria is built along the river bank and a large part of it is on piling. The residence district is on high ground.

Astoria was established more than a century ago as a trading post and was named in honor of John Jacob Astor, pioneer trader, whose agents were active at the post.

STATE OFFERS 600 ISLANDS FOR RENT AS SUMMER HOMES

MADISON, Wis.—For Rent—600 islands in northern Wisconsin. The state conservation commission Friday announced that leases have already been signed for upwards of 125 islands belonging to the state but that there are still beautiful spots for summer houses among the islands left on the market.

The average size of the islands for rent by the state runs from three quarters to one acre. The leases are renewable at minimum charge so that the renters may build modest summer homes with the assurance that the island is theirs as long as they pay the rent.

LAUNCH NEARS END OF ITS JOURNEY ROUND THE WORLD

NORFOLK, Va.—The motor launch Speejacks, with its owner, A. Y. Gowan aboard, has arrived here on the last lap of its trip around the world. The 98-foot cruiser will leave Norfolk on Saturday, docking on Monday morning at Newark, from where it sailed on August 21, 1921, sixteen months ago, on its globe encircling voyage.

BOY KIDNAPED

The following radio message was picked up by Bernard Balduzzi, 915 South Eighth street, from Davenport, Iowa: "A boy was kidnaped in Lincoln, Nebraska. The description of the kidnaper is: Light complexion, wore overalls and brown shoes. His right name is Young, but goes under the name of alias, McFarlen and several other names. The kidnaper is armed with four revolvers."

"HAPPY" SKAAR IS HELD FOR THEFT IN COUNTY COURT

John McDonald, Transient, Alleges Skaar Rolled Him for $215 After Poker Game

AFRAID OF BEING THROWN IN THE RIVER IF HE RESISTED, HE SAID

Stanley Gordon Prosecutes Case in Absence of Reid

STANLEY GORDON made his debut as district attorney Thursday afternoon when he appeared as prosecuter in the case of Helmar "Happy" Skaar, who is being tried on a charge of lifting a roll from John McDonald, 72-year-old transient. Mr. Gordon was called upon to prosecute the case because of the absence of District Attorney Lucien Reed.

Clarence Thompson, bartender for Helge Stefferud, 226 South Third street, was the first witness called in the case. He testified that he knew nothing of a poker game which was said to have been taking place in the basement of the saloon, and that he did not see the plaintiff, John McDonald, until after the place had been closed for the night. Albert E. Wagner, employed by the Deal Taxi company, told of taking McDonald, who, he said, was intoxicated, first to the Linker hotel and then to the Western hotel, in an effort to find a bed for him. At the Western hotel McDonald ran afoul of a policeman and was taken into custody. Wagner said McDonald occupied the rear seat of the taxi alone, Skaar sitting with the driver.

The complaint in the case was amended to read $215, instead of $81, total amount which McDonald claimed that Skaar had taken from him.

McDonald, on the stand, was emphatic in his statement that he was not drunk on the night of the alleged larceny, but admitted having taken three or four drinks of "moonshine" which had rendered his legs paralyzed but left his mind perfectly clear, he said. He told of the taxi ride after the poker game, claiming that he was driven around the city for about a half an hour, and that Skaar, who he said was in the seat with him, took a roll of bills amounting to $115 from his pocket. Asked why he didn't cry out or make some sort of resistance he said he was afraid that they would take him to the bridge and drop him into the river.

"There is so much of that going on these days," he said.

Under cross examination by Fred Hartwell, attorney for Helmar Skaar, McDonald gave his occupation as a "pencil salesman," without any definite place of residence for the past 47 years. He had come to La Crosse, he said, to spend the winter here.

The story told by McDonald was to the effect that at the end of the poker game in the basement of the Stefferud establishment, Skaar grabbed $100 from McDonald's hand and refused to return it, later taking the $115 from his pocket. When searched at the police station McDonald had about $10 on his person.

The "poker game" case was adjourned until two o'clock Friday afternoon, with attorneys on both sides holding an "ace in the hole."

LEGION ELECTION FRIDAY NIGHT IS IMPORTANT EVENT

Meeting Called for Eight O'clock at C. of C.; Entertain Show Cast at Nine O'clock

Much interest in being centered on the annual election of officers which will be held by the Roy L. Vingers post of the American Legion at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Friday night. The regular meeting will open promptly at 8 o'clock. The officers request a full attendance.

At 9 o'clock the meeting will be concluded and the remainder of the evening devoted to the entertainment of the members of the legion musical revue which was held recently. The program will be open to all the members of the show cast, and to Legion members and their wives. Plenty of eats and music will be provided, Callaway's Melody Boys, who made such a hit as a part of the show, will play for the dancing.

BLAINE DISAPPROVING CHRISTMAS PARDONS

MADISON, Wis.—Governor Blaine does not believe in Christmas pardons. He announced Friday that there will be no Christmas pardons this year declaring that a man deserving of a pardon will receive it as soon as it is called to his attention and not just on Christmas or Thanksgiving.

PRESIDENT TO CALL MEETING OF GOVERNORS

Co-operation Between States and Nation Executive's Objective as Stated in Annual Message to Congress

DECLARES FOR ABOLITION OF FEDERAL RAIL LABOR BOARD

Message Proposes Substitute; Urges Co-ordination of Transportation Facilities

WASHINGTON. — President Harding in his annual message, delivered Friday to congress in person, deals with nearly a score of subjects, chief among them prohibition, farm credits, transportation, child labor and immigration.

The executive announces his purpose to invite the governors of the states and territories to an early conference with the federal executive authority with a view to adopting definite policies of national and state co-operation in administering the prohibition laws. He says the day is unlikely to come when the prohibition amendment will be repealed and that the nation should adapt its course accordingly.

President Harding tells congress that if the statutory provisions for prohibition enforcement are contrary to deliberate public opinion, which he does not believe, the rigorous and literal enforcement will concentrate public attention on any requisite modification.

Abolish Rail Labor Board

With regard to the transportation problem, Mr. Harding proposes that the railroad labor board be abolished with the substitution of a labor division in the interstate commerce commission with ample power to require its rulings to be accepted by both parties to a disputed question. The executive also proposes that the law require the carriers and their employes to institute means and methods to negotiate between themselves their constantly arising differences, limiting appeals to the government body to disputes of such character as are likely to affect the public welfare.

Co-ordinate Shipping Facilities

Co-ordination of all transportation facilities is urged by the president. These would include not only inland waterways but motor truck transportation as well. He inveighs against the system of paralleling the railroads with truck roads, thus drawing freight from the steam lines instead of making the motor truck a feeder for them. As to the carriers themselves, Mr. Harding suggests as ways of increased economy and efficiency there be a merger of lines into systems, interchange of freight cars, the consolidation of facilities and the economic use of terminals.

Extend Farm Credits

More extended credit for the farmers is strongly urged by the executive, who declares that the very proof of helpfulness already given is the strongest argument for the permanent establishment of widened credits. He says the farm loan bureau may well have its powers enlarged to provide ample farm production credits as well as enlarged land credits.

Readjustment Barely Begun

The president began his address by calling attention of congress to general world conditions which, he said, were seriously disturbed as a result of the war. He asserted that "the inevitable readjustment of the social and economic order is not more than barely begun" and continued:

"There never again will be precisely the old order; indeed I know of no one who thinks it to be desirable. For out of the old order came the war itself and the new order, established and made secure, never will permit its recurrence.

"It is no figure of speech to say we have come to the test of our civilization. The world has been passing—is today passing—through a great

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ART EXHIBIT TO CLOSE ON SUNDAY; TWO DAYS LEFT

The art exhibit now open to the public in the Chamber of Commerce will close at 6 p. m. Sunday. Two days more remain in which the public may view the art works. The exhibit will be open Friday afternoon, Saturday afternoon and evening and Sunday from 12:30 to 6 p. m.

IRISH REBELS PAY WITH LIVES FOR ASSASSINATION OF PARLIAMENT MEMBER

LEAGUE COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS HIRST BILL AT MADISON

Meeting Called to Review Proposed Legislation Next Week

MAYOR Arthur A. Bentley was in Madison Thursday, attending a conference of officers of the League of Wisconsin municipalities.

Plans were made to call a meeting at Madison next week of the league's legislative committee and others interested to arrange for a systematic review of proposed legislation affecting cities of the state. One of the items to be considered at next week's meeting is the Hirst Highway bill, wherein it is proposed to transfer from cities to the state the authority to levy taxes on automobiles now classified as personal property. Mr. Hirst and Mr. Cannon, of the Good Roads association, Mayor Hoan, of Milwaukee and others will be invited to attend the meeting of the League's legislative committee.

The mayor, who is president of the league, stated in his office Friday morning that an effort would be made to effect a compromise on a proposed amendment to the bill as drafted providing for a plan of distribution of the funds raised by taxation of automobiles in which the cities would at least receive some portion of such money to be applied to the construction and maintenance of streets in the city limits now designated or later to be named as trunk highways.

Other minor amendments may be asked for in an effort to satisfy cities that are now opposed to the provisions of the so-called Hirst Bill. He said he wanted it plainly understood that the league officers are not opposed to a constructive highway measure, but in fact, would favor new legislation that would protect the interests of cities on an equal basis with those of the counties outside of city limits.

MYSTERIOUS WOMAN AT PHOENIX THOUGHT TO BE MRS PHILLIPS

Sheriff Investigating Arrival of Couple in Airplane in Arizona City

PHOENIX, Ariz.—It was announced at the sheriff's office early Friday that a man and woman who arrived in Phoenix in an airplane late Thursday and who could not be found Thursday night, are believed to be registered at a Phoenix rooming-house. The rooming-house is said to be under surveillance.

As a result of repeated rumors of the presence of Clara Phillips, the escaped Los Angeles prisoner, in Arizona, the sheriff's office started an investigation when information of the arrival of the airplane and its two passengers was received.

Clue Proves False

PHOENIX, Ariz.— The man and woman who arrived in Phoenix in an airplane late yesterday and who were investigated under the belief that the woman was Clara Phillips, have satisfied the local sheriff's office of their identity as tourists who have been traveling through the southwest by airplane, it was announced today.

CLAIM WOMAN HIRED GUNMAN TO SHOOT WEALTHY HUSBAND

DETROIT, Mich.—Mrs. May Blenn Ford solicited the services of a gunman to kill her wealthy husband, Ney J. Ford, offered the gunman $20,000 for the job, and gave him a photograph of her husband to make sure the right man was slain, according to the sworn statements of four detectives whose investigation resulted in Mrs. Ford's detention Friday on a charge of attempting to commit murder.

Denying the charge, Mrs. Ford declared she was the victim of a "frame up" that grew out of her domestic difficulties. These difficulties include a suit for divorce, filed last August, in which she charges cruelty, and a suit asking $25,000 damages of her estranged husband for alleged assault.

One of the plans was that he be shot in his farm home west of Detroit, and the others were that he be shot or slugged while working about the barns, the body to be burned in a hay-stack.

FOUR EXECUTED BY FREE STATE AS A REPRISAL

Rory O'Connor and Liam Mellowes Among those Sentenced to Death by Military Court During Night

MANIFESTO OF REPUBLICANS EXPRESSES DEFIANCE TO HEALY

Statement Describes New Governor-General as "Life-long Enemy of the Nation"

LONDON.—By The Associated press.—The Dublin correspondent of the Evening Standard reports that a party of men Friday entered the Mercer's hospital and shot a Free State soldier lying in one of the beds in reprisal for the executions of Rory O'Connor and Liam Mellowes.

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press. —Rory O'Connor and Liam Mellowes, together with two other Irish rebels, were executed in Mount Joy prison this morning, it was officially announced. The two other men executed were Joseph McKeivey and Richard Barrett, both prominent republicans.

An official army report states that the four men were executed as a reprisal for the assassination of Sean Hales, the deputy shot Thursday, and as a solemn warning to those associated with them "in the conspiracy of assassination against the representatives of the Irish people."

Tried by Military Court

The prisoners were tried by a military court martial during the night, found guilty and sentenced to death.

The death sentence was carried out at 9:20 o'clock this morning. Three priests were present. The prisoners, blindfolded, were marched to the place of execution. O'Connor had to be assisted to the scaffold.

Roderick (Rory) O'Connor and Liam Mellowes, were leaders of the band of Irish insurgents that held the Four Courts building in Dublin in its stand against the Free State troops last June. Each was taken prisoner when the building was captured after a three-day siege.

Rebels Defy Healy

LONDON. — By The Associated Press.—The Irish republicans, says a dispatch to the Evening Standard from Dublin, have issued a manifesto describing Timothy Healy, the governor general, as a life-long enemy of the nation. The manifesto adds: "The fight will go on as long as there is a man in Ireland. It is war to the death."

STATE SPEEDS UP PUBLICATION OF 1923 BLUE BOOK

MADISON, Wis.—State officers are being mailed Friday their biographies to correct to date for the 1923 edition of the Blue Book. Editor Fred L. Holmes is pushing the work on the new edition so that it may be in the hands of the legislators and schools by the last of March. Heretofore it has not been published until the last of June or later.

DESERT TURNS TO FARM IN 15 YEARS WITH IRRIGATION

Great Strides Made Since First Use of Water on Texas Wilderness

BROWNSVILLE, Texas.—Irrigation has developed the lower Rio Grande valley from a virtual wilderness of mesquite brush of 15 years ago into a progressive community of fertile farms and prosperous towns and cities. The development of this section was made possible through the aid of private capital.

The first attempt at irrigation on the lower Rio Grande was made in 1902, near this city. Gradually, irrigation projects were developed at San Benito, Harlingen, Mercedes, McAllen and Mission, until today more than a dozen pumping stations between Mission and the mouth of the river are watering 350,000 acres.

The growing of winter vegetables, one of the first industries following the development of irrigation, is being replaced by the culture of citrus fruits, largely orange and grapefruit trees, and it is estimated that in 1924 the the production of these fruits will amount to 5,000 carloads. It is claimed that cotton will mature in this valley from a month to six weeks earlier than in many sections of the south, while it is possible to raise two crops of corn and feed stuffs each year.

Mexican huts have given way to modern homes, English has superseded Spanish as the common language and modern schools have been erected in the towns and cities that boast all the latest improvements.

Government engineers, who have made a survey of the valley, state that more than a million acres can be irrigated without infringing on Mexico's Rio Grande water rights. It is said that new projects, together with the extension of several old projects, are now under way.

The 1922 cotton crop of the lower Rio Grande valley exceeded 50,000 bales in 1922, with an estimated crop for 1923 ranging between 125,000 and 150,000 bales.

CHICAGO NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB IS LONG ON CHAMPIONS; HAS TALLEST, SHORTEST, STRONGEST PLAYER

CHICAGO—Chicago's National league baseball club is long on champions. It claims to have the tallest and shortest men in the major leagues and also the strongest player.

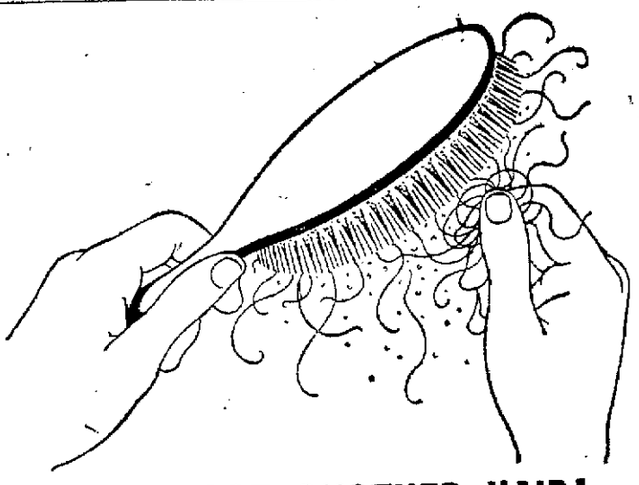
Ernest Osborn a pitcher, standing 6 feet 5 1-2 inches in his stocking feet, undoubtedly is the tallest player in the majors. Earl Adams, who came to the Cubs from Wichita Falls, Kans., is a second baseman, and measures only 5 feet 4 inches.

Lawrence "Hack" Miller, who came from the Pacific Coast league is said to be the strongest man in baseball. He is the son of Sebastian Miller who for years was known about Chicago and the middle west as the "strong man," and whose tests of strength are well remembered by the old times. Hack inherited much of his parent's make-up, but he prefers playing baseball to touring the country exhibiting his strength.

However, for the edification of his teammates, "Hack" has picked up a horse shoe and taking hold of the heels of the iron shoe, straightened it out. He also will push a nail through a two inch plank with his thumb. He is a hitter of the slugging type, his blows having plenty of strength behind them.

ERIN CONSIDERS NATIONALIZING ITS RAILROADS

DUBLIN.—The commission appointed by the Irish government to inquire into the working of Irish railways has just reported, with one dissenting vote, in favor of the nationalization of the railways by the state. It is recommended, however, that the management be not in the hands of a state minister, but by a national railway board representing various interests, including labor.



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65c Curtain Nets, a yard **50c**
Tapestry Couch Covers, each ... **$2.00**
Rag Rugs, 27x54, each **$1.00**
All wool plaid Blankets, 70x80, extra quality, value, $10.00, special a pair **$8.95**
$5.00 Curtains, a pair **$3.75**
$7.50 Curtains, a pair **$5.00**
$1.50 Terry cloth at a yard **$1.00**
$1.25 Silk Drapery, a yard **95c**
Tapestry Portieres in mulberry, blue and brown, priced special at a pair **$8.50**
Turkish Towels with colored borders, special each **50c**
Cotton Blankets, 60x76, a pair ... **$1.95**
Pillow Cases, 42x36, value 35c, special.. **25c**

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Our large boxed assortment of Jewelry will be a great help to you in buying your Christmas presents.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS

SECTIONAL LACE PANELS
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The Challenge of the Bootleggers

A saturnalia of bootlegging seems to be no exaggerated phrase to describe the startling state of affairs to which the Administration calls the nation's attention. Inspired Washington dispatches tell us that the present Prohibition enforcement methods are "debauching and debasing the entire country"; that the President is "deeply concerned over a belief that the moral fiber of the American people is deteriorating through the open disrespect shown for the effort to enforce Prohibition"; and that "the growth of bootlegging, the temerity of rum-runners, and the serious insinuations against Federal enforcement officers have been worrying the Administration for some months," until finally—"With Prohibition enforcement recognized as on the verge of absolute collapse in four States and in a condition of serious demoralization elsewhere in the country, President Harding considered to-day the issuance of a solemn public appeal to all good citizens to discourage bootlegging as a last resort to administer the law."

"One way to make Prohibition prohibit," declares the New York **Evening Post,** "would be to arrest some of the prominent and respectable people who buy what the bootleggers sell."

The leading article in The Literary Digest this week takes up the subject of the enforcement of the Prohibition laws and presents the opinions of leading newspapers as to ways and means.

Other news-features of current interest and importance are:—

Democratic Plans to Win Next Time
How the French-American Romance May Be Renewed
To Curb Reckless Aviators
Whence Comes the Virtue of Cod-liver Oil?
Hearing Two Thousand Miles With a Home-made Radio Set
An Anglican Move Toward Rome
A Neighborly View of Woodrow Wilson
Personal Glimpses
Loves and Hates of the Circus Elephant
Governor Allen's Court Threatened
The Test of the Irish Free State
How Not to Catch Cold
Mr. Hoxie's Talking Film
Stories That Reveal Bernhardt
Eastern Culture Draining the West of Ministers
Anarchism and Cruelty—The Soul of the Russian Peasant
Topics of the Day

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THE LAW

LOVE is the fulfilling of the Law.—Romans 13: 10.

Fictions of Hate and Fear

"GERMAN ship in distress aided by French vessel" says a news headline. Of course! The French sailors on the rescue ship would never think of the nationality of human beings in distress. That they were fellow humans was enough, and no doubt had occasion demanded they would have risked their lives to save the Germans. We hear talk of the hatred between France and Germany, and accept it as an established fact to be reckoned with in international affairs. Yet, as the dispatch referred to shows, the common brotherhood of men is a bond that unites the plain men of France and Germany, as well as the citizens of "friendly" countries. Individual Frenchmen do not hate individual Germans; the man in the street in Germany has nothing against any Frenchman he may meet. Their "hatred," cause of wars and distresses innumerable, is a fiction where it is not the result of deliberate fomentation by governments and others who have something to gain by mutual distrust and separation. By governments—although the governments are supposed to be the representatives of the people they govern, and to express their desires. Why cannot the individual Frenchmen and Germans who do not hate and fear, and who do not expect to derive an advantage from war, say the word to their governments which will explode the fiction? They are in the majority. What has the war obtained for those Frenchmen and Germans who were not killed or disabled? Heavy debts, crushing taxes, economic disorganization—nothing else, except to the occasional profiteer who is a menace to his own country, and heartily disliked by his countrymen. The world needs, perhaps more than anything else, a little clear and positive thinking by the common folks who make the nations, who pay their bills, who bear their burdens, whose bodies fight wars. Mostly they do not think, now. They are led around by demagogues, professional experts in mob psychology, who inflame their prejudices, create unfounded fears and hates and play upon them to maintain themselves in control. There would be a different story of civilization to tell if the majorities in all nations were to find a way to insist upon their governments doing, as nations, only what the common-sense, caution and kindliness of each citizen would dictate as proper individual policy for himself.

You Own Them?

REMEMBER those war savings stamps and certificates that you bought in 1918? Better hunt them up. They're "due" January 1, principal and interest. And Uncle Sam is ready to pay them off, or trade them for new certificates at four per cent interest compounded twice a year, whichever you want. Treasury officials estimate that no less than 15,000,000 Americans own these war obligations. Are you one of them? If so, when you "cash in" you'll realize that the safest investment in the world is Uncle Sam. Hundreds of thousands of spendthrifts and stock market suckers are wishing they had invested in war savings stamps and certificates.

A million doesn't look as big as it used to. Most of us talk of a million as if it were a dozen eggs. Nevertheless, you'll admit that $625,000,000 is considerable of a figure. That's the total value of the war savings stamps and certificates maturing January 1, 1923. If everyone insists on cash payment, Uncle Sam will have to turn a few financial hand-springs. His loose cash in the national treasury will be rather low at the end of the year. So he hopes that most of the holders—half, at least—will trade for the new five-year treasury certificates. Wise investors will. It's as good as money in the bank—some ways, better.

If you want to cash your war savings stamps and certificates in full, you can deposit them with the postoffice any day now for collection, or turn them in to your bank on or after January 1. If you have, say, $25 of maturing war savings certificates, you can exchange them for a new $25 treasury certificate maturing January 1, 1928, and get $4.50 cash to boot. And so on, in large quantities. The new certificates will be issued in denominations of $25, $100 and $1000 each. No individual can get more than $5000 worth of these certificates. They're tax-exempt, by the way. In this deal, which involves $625,000,000, Uncle Sam is doing business with the people. You, the owner of certificates, are one of his bankers.

He says to tell you that he'd prefer extending the loan. But he can hand over the cash if you feel you need it more than he does. U. S., you know, means "us."

Referred to the Traffic Bureau

WE hear a good deal of complaint from the traveling public over the removal of the morning Northwestern train, east-bound, which used to leave about breakfast time and reach Madison somewhere around the lunch-hour. It was a mighty convenient train for a number of folks, particularly traveling men who make the towns east of La Crosse, who like to stay here over night and yet can afford to lose no time in getting on their territory the next day. These men now find it necessary to go through La Crosse without stopping. It was a handy train for local people to take going to Madison, a trip that is one of the most frequently made of any out of La Crosse, for it saved half a day's time over present connections. It was a useful train for all the people along the line. Now that the railroads are doing better and conditions everywhere are getting back to normal, it would seem not impossible to have this train restored. We believe that everyone along the line would be glad to see the matter taken up with the railroad commission.

Tom Sims Says:

The thirty-two world's champion good looking women will be chosen, but none of the winners will be surprised.

In Memphis, a sheriff wanted to take Representative Herrick's plane because he had an attachment for it.

In these days of robbers speeding away in autos it is a relief to learn an Ohio thief escaped on a cow.

The world's greatest men have their moments of foolishness. Lloyd George's son is named Gwyllian.

What's in a name? Millionaire whose real name is A. B. See says higher education for girls is useless.

Home helps: A splendid way to make a husband stay at home at night is to stay there with him.

Just when people were feeling better toward Germany she begins exporting musical instruments.

Trouble with laying something aside for a damp day is you are always coming to a little dew.

Most of us have an idea that heaven is a place where there is enough good luck to go around.

They are working on a heatless fire for lights and many furnace firers are suspected of using it.

The tariff affords relief for some industries, but what we need is relief from some industries.

Beauty secret: Not leaving when her father says leave may damage the seat of your trousers.

Bachelors are always at large.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Rev. Henry Faville, D. D. Ph. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of La Crosse and for the last twenty-five years a potent factor in the social, religious and industrial life of this city, yesterday tendered his resinatigon as pastor of the church. His resignation is to take effect in December, 1913.

The second fire of unknown origin occurred at Viroqua this morning and as a result $10,000 damage was done in the principal business section. The Tate block was wiped out entirely and the whole city exposed to danger. The volunteer fire department fought the flames. December 5 a similar fire destroyed a livery barn owned by Elmer H. Officer, the loss being $9,000. An investigation will be made because of rumors that the fires were of incendiary origin.

Chief of Police John B. Webber today asserted that crime has decreased at least fifty percent in La Crosse since the closing of the "red light" district. Today is the first anniversary of the closing of the houses of ill fame.

Miss Lillian Blystad and Maurice Coughlin were married at the St. James parsonage by Father Ambrose Murphy last evening.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. John Rau, Sr., celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home on State street by being married again by Rev. C. F. Klein. Mr. and Mrs. Rau were married in Worcester, Ohio, in 1852 but have lived in La Crosse the last thirty-three years.

Architects Schick and Roth of this city have been awarded the contract for furnishing the plans for the new $12,000 Carnegie library at Albert Lea, Minn. About twenty firms sent in bids.

Considerable Mexican money is being found in circulation in this city, a number of Mexican dollars having been passed at Linker's barber shop. Authorities are trying to find the source of the bad money.

The new Cateway City Pearl Button company started operations in its new factory on South Second street yesterday. The company has installed an automatic classifier.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Conductor A. A. Kennedy is home from the state of Washington, where he has been railroading, for a short vacation.

Wall Spurbeck, a scaler for Sawyer and Austin's left for the woods yesterday morning.

Yesterday was a good day for rabbit hunting on account of the heavy snow. Ed Brown and Ben LaMay took advantage of it and returned with seventeen.

New scales have been put in the Milwaukee baggage room.

J. A. Parker, who has been connected with the Burlington road first as local passenger agent and later as freight agent, is to go to St. Paul to take the position of distributing freight agent there.

Will Molitor left for Hot Springs on the midnight Burlington. He has secured a position in a hotel there.

The street car company received three carloads of baled hay from Minnesota yesterday

Abe Martin

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Bud's maid spent th' week-end with 'em. Th' baggage belongin' t' th' troupe at Melodeon hall last night got carried thro' so th' aesthetic dancer had t' give th' whole show.

The Six-Ten Train

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Jane drove the big car up the long hill to the railroad station and backed it skillfully to the platform among the hundred other motors waiting for the express to come in. David Perry often came down for a week-end at the Woodland's suburban place and since his engagement to Jane had been announced it was Jane who invariably met him at the station.

Sometimes there were other guests for the Woodland's, or perhaps it would be merely one of the family, Mr. Woodland or young Roland, or Sally, but they usually fell into the background of unimportance. David and Jane and Joy rode together.

Jane was looking particularly lovely this afternoon; she wore a new frock, and a soft flopping country-hat that made a frame for her bewitching face.

"Six-ten's late," remarked the baggagemaster-station agent-telegrapher, with a knowing look at Jane Woodland.

Jane smiled and dimpled. Peter Hornbeak knew that the six-ten was David's train. She walked up and down the long platform, stopping to speak to her friends here and there, and then stood gazing down the line.

The train came rushing in, bringing a breath of excitement and bustle from the big city. Jane saw David's towering form emerge from a rear coach, saw him assist a woman—they walked together—he carried her bag. She wore a black cloth suit of extremely modish cut, a large hat swathed in a black lace veil. She walked with a jauntiness that put Jane's healthy stride to shame.

Jane stared coldly at the approaching pair.

The truth must be confessed at last. Jane Woodland was of a very jealous nature. She loved David, and it hurt her to see him pay any attention to other women. He rarely did, for Jane filled his world completely.

"A smaller girl than I—and a lot prettier," thought Jane bitterly as she drew back behind a pillar. Temptation prompted jealousy to act. Jane slipped around the station building, jumped into her car and whisked away in the green twilight.

As the road unfurled before her she seemed to see those two figures, the slender, pretty girl and David walking together.

Suppose she went back and met them—the girl might be some one in the village who David had met, or she might be a cousin.

David had no cousins.

She wondered what they would do—take Steve Brogan's taxicab perhaps, but they certainly would not have the effrontery to come to the Woodland's. Having come to this conclusion, Jane glanced behind her and saw them walking along the path behind her. The girl wore gray silk stockings and gray suede slippers.

The slippers must have been very uncomfortable to walk in. Jane thought of that as the car slipped along the pleasant road. Then she turned the corner that led home. As she turned the corner she glanced over her shoulder and saw David putting the girl into a taxicab. He jumped in beside her and they rode rapidly away in the opposite direction!

Jane did not eat much dinner that night; she parried the explanations of her family and listened for the telephone bell. David would ring her up. He usually did so after one of their quarrels. She rather hoped he would call her.

It was 10 o'clock when the telephone called her.

"Jane?" came David's voice.

"Jane is speaking," she responded coolly.

"I must apologize. I came on the six-ten, but did not see you, dear."

"I was there—I saw you—but you were so absorbed," embroidered Jane.

"Jane Woodland!" he breathed sharply.

"Well, you were busily engaged, were you not?"

"Yes, in a way. My grandmother came down with me and I was going to ask you to drop her off at my Aunt Agatha's. Didn't you see? So we walked along the road until a taxicab picked us up."

"Your grandmother?" repeated Jane incredulously. "Your grandmother!" she added in scornful disbelief.

"Yes. Now, Jane, that I have explained this, you can see your mistake, can't you?"

"I don't know what you mean about my mistake, Mr. Perry," she said in her coldest tone.

"Has it reached the Mrs. Perry stage?" he asked furiously. "What is the next move?"

"For me to return your ring, which I shall do in the morning," said Jane with her eyes full of tears, which of course David could not see.

"Very well," he answered and rang off.

The next day being Sunday, Jane went to church and had the pleasure of seeing David sitting in his Great-aunt Agatha's pew with the strange girl beside him. Jane saw that David was very attentive to the slim young thing in black and a grim despair seized her.

She wondered if it occurred to David that they—David and Jane—had planned to be married in this very church in September. Why, they had decided upon the floral decorations, the ushers, the guests, the music—everything had been carefully thought out. What happy times they had had, too.

Slowly the congregation dispersed. In the porch the Woodlands lingered to greet their friends. Jane would have hurried on to avoid David, but her mother plucked her back.

"Jane, my dear, I want to introduce you to Mrs. Churchill. David's grandmother. Susan, this is my youngest daughter," murmured Mrs. Woodland with justifiable pride.

"Delighted, my dear. David has told me about you. Where is the boy? He brought me to church in that fiendish little car of his—he has had it stored at Agatha's. I refuse to return in it. Take your little Jane home, Davy, and I'll go back with the old folks. Agatha will come, too!"

Jane stared openly at the absurd little figure tricked out in its girlish clothes. Behind the lace veil simpered a sweet, lined face and graying hair. How pitiful it was to cling so firmly to passing youth!

"Well, goodby, granny. Sorry about the mad ride. Jane likes the little car, eh, Jane?"

But Jane's shamed eyes were watching the jaunty, swinging gait of David's grandmother tilting along on high-heeled shoes. When she lifted her gaze to his at last David was smiling "Well?" he asked.

"Your grandmother!" she laughed tremulously, and this time she believed it.

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Pick Your Poison

Some people go insane from overwork and others try to invent new color combinations for New York taxicabs.—Life.

Eternal Feminine

"Why is your wife running so to catch that train?" asked a man of his neighbor. "She has plenty of time unless they have changed the schedule."

"That's just it," was the reply. "They've reduced the schedule from 6:50 to 6:49, and she never could resist a bargain."—Florida Times-Union.

Pale and Thin

Many feel unequal to the daily task. They are prone to frequent colds or coughs, or are pale and thin. What is needful is rich, nourishing

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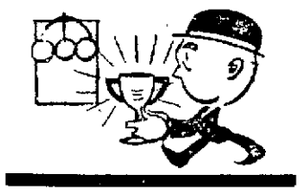

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ONE OF EVERY FOUR NEW YORKERS HAS MONEY IN THE BANK

Figures Quoted to Refute Idea that New York is Synonymous With Extravagance

NEW YORK.—The popular idea that the term "New Yorker" is synonymous with prodigality in expenditures for unimportant things, extravagance in dress and style of living and outlay for bright light amusements, is refuted by some significant figures just compiled by the Merchants' association.

On July 1, 1922, the savings banks of New York held on deposit $2,069,779,824.85, representing accounts of 1,680,625 depositors, or more than one out of every four of the entire population.

"These figures," said the statement, "are as significant relatively as positively. They prove that the habit of thrift among the wage earners in the city has grown enormously during the last twenty-five years.

"In 1897, the books of the New York savings banks showed deposits total $529,907,247.75. The actual deposits in that period have therefore multiplied almost four times. Within the same period the number of depositors has increased from 1,222,366 to the total as indicated above. It is true that the increase in numbers of accounts is not commensurate with the increase in population, but a significant fact appears in per capita comparison. The depositors of 1897 showed an average savings account of $432.51 while the depositors of today show an average savings deposit of $1,231.5.

"Those who analyze the significance of figures may draw various deductions of interest from these remarkable showings which are newly assembled, but any argument tending to show that New Yorkers in general are a wasteful lot would have some difficulty in maintaining itself unchallenged.

Any man who can get his hair cut every week has too much spare time on his hands. He ought to go to work.—Fond du Lac Commonwealth.

CHASE VIENNA'S GHOULS WITH DOGS

VIENNA.—Ghouls have become so active in the great cemeteries of Vienna, according to the press, that police guards now patrol these resting places of the dead every night, accompanied by dogs.

The grave robbers are disinterring newly buried bodies and robbing them of clothing, the little jewelry souvenirs that loving families have sent with dear ones to the grave, of gold filled teeth, and even shearing the tresses of women.

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Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! you must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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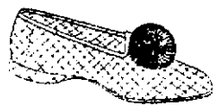
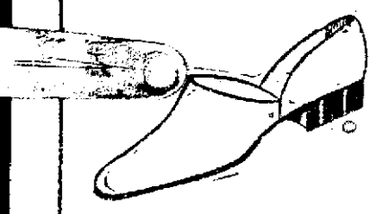


FOR WOMEN

EVERY Woman and Miss has use for House Slippers and here you'll find a selection that embraces everything from felts to the finest leathers, moderately priced at 75c to $2.50.



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YOU'LL make his evenings at home pleasanter if you buy him a pair of these House Slippers, offered in a variety of models and leathers; unusual values at $1.50 to $3.50.

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CORSETS $1.00
A special selling of "Kruse Special" Corsets and Corselettes. Real values.

Sport Skirts $3.95
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A cleanup!
Canton Crepe, Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses, handsomely trimmed.

Novelty Aprons $1.50 AND UP.
These pretty aprons will solve at least one of your gift problems.

50 HATS $1.00
Big cleanup of hats in this group. All this season's styles.

Flannelette Gowns $1.45 $1.95
Very best quality.
Two big underpriced holiday groups of Flannelette gowns, in most attractive colors and styles.

Sateen Bloomers and Petticoats $1.00
Fine quality. All the wanted colors.

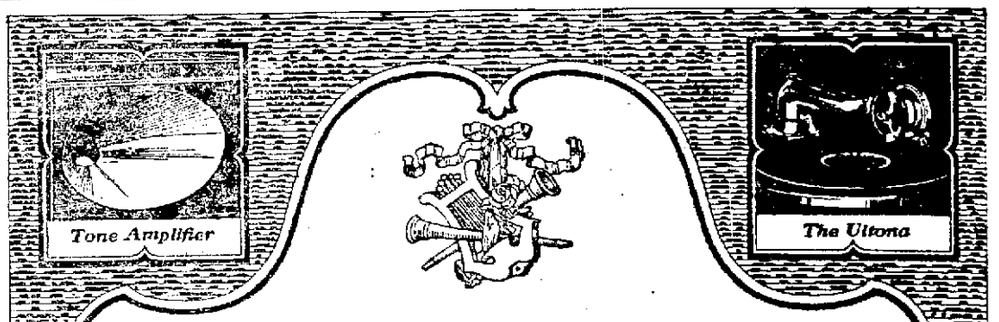
Bath Robes $5.95 AND UP.
Beacon Bath Robes, in a fine holiday collection.

New House Aprons $1.00
Special holiday assortment of Aprons in all the wanted styles.

Sweaters $1.95
An odd lot group of slip-on Sweaters, in all weaves and colors.

Onyx Hose $1.00
Odd lot group of Onyx Silk Hose, mercerized Hose, Sport Hose. These are not seconds.

House Dresses $3.95 AND UP.
Just received new shipment of L' Aiglon House Dresses for the holidays. Come look them over.



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The Brunswick *Oval* Tone Amplifier, or tone chamber, is pictured above. It is made of light, resonant wood. Banishes those thin, harsh "tinny" sounds usual to the old type phonograph.

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NUMBER 10

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NUMBER 10

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Lodes of Iron and Zinc also Discovered; Deposits Look Promising

STOCKHOLM. — A discovery of new mineral wealth in Sweden is announced by Director Axel Gavelin, head of the government geological research department, who has asked the riksdag for an appropriation to cover the investigation of the newly-found ore deposits.

These lie in central Sweden, and consist of iron, zinc and copper ore. Mr. Gavelin does not give exact details as to the total size of these deposits, but he considers them extremely promising, and says that if further research fulfills his expectations, the copper find especially is valuable and will form a national asset of great importance.

The total iron ore deposits of Sweden already known are calculated to contain nearly 1,100,000,000 tons, running an average of 60 per cent iron, which is said to be over 23 per cent more than the average for all iron ore mined in the rest of Europe, and 16 per cent more than the average for the world as a whole.

Although much of Sweden's iron ore is used for the domestic manufacture of iron and steel, the export is considerable. In 1913 the total export was six and one-half million tons, while last year the figures were four and a half million.

Copper mining and export, which is hundreds of years old in Sweden, has declined of recent years, and the familiar copper ware seen in every Swedish home was in a fair way of becoming valuable antiques. Now, however, a revival of the Swedish copper industry may result from the newly-discovered deposits.

Wanted Attention Divided

Elmer, who is the only boy in a family of four sisters, often gets disgusted with the way they baby him. One day when he had evidently reached the limit of his endurance he expressed his feelings by saying: "I wouldn't mind the four of you if there was just another one like me."

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What is Ship Subsidy? Here's Answer

By HARRY HUNT
NEA Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The most bitter fight in congress since the league of nations battle will be waged over the administration's ship subsidy bill, on which President Harding has demanded early action.

Just what does this bill provide?

It is submitted as a measure "to promote an American merchant marine." Simply stated, it provides six primary methods of assistance to vessel interests:

1. The sale of government-owned vessels to private individuals or corporations. These vessels are to be operated under the American flag, on terms permitting payments to be extended over 15 years, with interest at 4 per cent on unpaid balances.

2. Government loans, up to $125,000,000, for new vessel construction or equipment. Loans may be made up to two-thirds total cost of such vessels, and to bear interest at rate of 2 per cent.

3. Reduction of taxes on incomes and profits of individuals or corporations, earned by the operation of American vessels in foreign trade, and exemption from taxes of earnings or profits reinvested in new ship construction.

Aids U. S. Shipping

4. Monopoly to American shipping, wherever possible, in carrying out-bound foreign mails.

5. Requirement that one-half of all immigrants coming to America shall have passage on American-owned vessels.

6. Direct cash payments by the government, on the basis of gross tonnage and mileage of vessels operated between American and foreign ports.

Supporters of the measure maintain that the cost to the government under its provisions would be less than the sum the government is now losing on its war-built merchant fleet. President Harding placed this loss at $50,000,000 a year.

They also declare the measure would stimulate private interest in the development of American shipping to the point where American ships would transport American products to the markets of the world, thereby keeping in American pockets the profits from such transportation.

Further, they contend, an adequate American merchant marine would be an invaluable asset in time of war for the transportation of supplies or troops.

Opponents' Arguments

Opponents of the measure say the subsidy will constitute a gift of untold millions to a comparatively few groups of shipping interests; that it will not stimulate a truly great merchant marine, but will go only to lines operating ships over established routes; that it is un-American in principle, because it seeks to sustain, out of the public purse, a service which the administration says cannot be maintained in open competition with other nations; that by the special favors proposed in tax exemption and low rates of interest, injustice is done all other groups which must pay taxes and borrow money.

They also argue that, in addition to the direct cost to the government of the tonnage-mile subsidy, estimated by shipping board officials at $30,000,000 yearly, the lost taxes and other gratuities would add additional millions which never could be accurately figured.

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In "taking off" and landing in an airplane, it is desirable to make use of wheels on smooth ground and skids on rough ground, but wheels have been most generally called for. A new arrangement invented by Lawrence Sperry has both wheels and skids to be called into action at the will of the aviator.

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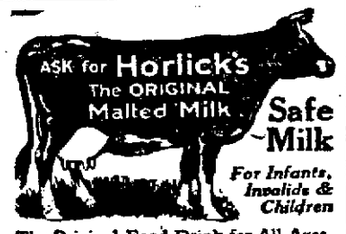
To Run Ships After Season is Over Without Insurance

DULUTH Minn. — Necessity for prolonging the Great Lakes shipping season beyond the date set for the formal close of navigation because of the shortage of coal receipts here for the Northwest supply and the subsequent inducements to be offered is going to cause ship owners to speculate heavily by operating their boats after insurance has expired, declare local vesselmen.

December 10 is the date set for the formal close of navigation and on that date insurance on the vessels automatically expires.

Freed of the insurance premiums which usually run into the thousands and given an extra large fee for their cargoes, these skippers stand to clear large sums of money, some as high as $50,000 for one trip. Records here show most of these expeditions, although completed under hazardous conditions, usually are successfully made. Weather conditions so far have led vesselmen to believe that there will be an extremely late winter on the lakes.



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OLD AGE PENSIONS SUBJECT OF SPEECH TO EAGLES SUNDAY

Judge T. E. O'Donnell of Kansas City Will Explain Benefits of Pensions to Local Aerie

Judge Thomas E. O'Donnell of Kansas City will deliver an address under the auspices of the La Crosse Aerie of Eagles at Eagle's hall on Sunday, December 10, it was announced Friday by the officers of the local organization.

The Eagles, as an organization, are behind the movement which is on foot to establish old-age pensions, declaring themselves in favor of state paid pensions for the "veterans of the American industrial system." Bills have been introduced in many legislatures providing for such pensions. The address to be delivered by Judge O'Donnell will deal largely with this question.

PRESIDENT TO CALL MEETING OF GOVERNORS

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crisis. The conduct of war itself is not more difficult than the solution of the problems which necessarily follow. I am not speaking at this moment of the problem in its wider aspects of world rehabilitation or of international relationships. The reference is to our own social, financial and economic problems at home. These things are not to be considered solely as problems apart from all international relationship but every nation must be able to carry on for itself, else its international relationship will have scant importance.

Strikes Retarded Progress

"Doubtless our own people have emerged from the world war turmoil less impaired than most belligerent powers; probably we have made larger progress toward reconstruction. Had we escaped the coal and railway strike which had no excuse for their beginning and less justification for their delayed settlement, we should have done indefinitely better. But labor was insistent on holding to the war heights and heedless forces of reaction sought pre-war levels and both were wrong.

"The railway strike accentuated the difficulty of the American farmer. The first distress of readjustment came to the farmer and it will not be a readjustment fit to abide until he is relieved. The distress brought to the farmer does not affect him alone. Agricultural ill-fortune is a national ill-fortune.

"This congress already has taken cognizance of the misfortune which precipitated deflation brought to American agriculture. Your measures of relief and the reduction of the federal reserve discount rate undoubtedly saved the country from widespread disaster. The very proof of helpfulness already given is the strongest argument for the permanent establishment of widened credits, heretofore temporarily extended through the war finance corporation.

Extend Farm Board Powers

"The farm loan bureau, which already has proven its usefulness through the federal land banks, may well have its powers enlarged to provide ample farm production credits as well as enlarged land credits. It is entirely practical to create a division in the federal land banks to deal with production credits, with the limitations of time so adjusted to the farm turn-over as the federal reserve system provides for the turn-over in the manufacturing and mercantile world. Special provision must be made for livestock production credits and the limit of land loans may be safely enlarged. Various measures are pending before you and the best judgment of congress ought to be expressed in a prompt enactment at the present session.

"But American agriculture needs more than added credit facilities. The credits will help to solve the pressing problems growing out of war inflated land values and the drastic deflation of three years ago, but permanent and deserved agriculture good fortune depends on better and cheaper transportation. Here is an outstanding problem demanding the most rigorous consideration of the congress and the country.

Farmer the Victim

"In the last half of the year now closing the railways, broken in carrying capacity because of motive power and rolling stock out of order, though insistently declaring to the contrary, embargoed his shipments, or denied him cars when fortunate markets were calling. Too frequently transportation failed while perishable products were turning from possible profit to losses counted in tens of millions.

"I know of no problem exceeding in importance this one of transportation. We have built forty per cent of the world's railroad mileage and yet find it inadequate to our present requirements. When we contemplate the inadequacy of today, it is easy to believe that the next few decades will witness the paralysis of our transportation-using social scheme or a complete reorganization on some new basis.

"Manifestly we have need to begin on plans to co-ordinate transportation facilities. We should more effectively capacitate our rail lines with our carriers by sea. We ought to reap some benefit from the hundreds of millions expended on inland waterways, proving our capacity to utilize as well as expand. We ought to turn the motor truck into a railway feeder and distributor instead of a destroying competitor.

Must Meet Problem

"This transportation problem cannot be waived aside. The demand for lowered costs on farm products and basic materials can not be ignored. Rates horizontally increased to meet increased wage outlays during the war inflation, are not easily reduced. When some very moderate wage reductions were effected last summer there was a five per cent horizontal reduction in rates. I sought at that time, in a very informal way, to have the railway managers go before the interstate commerce commission and agree to a heavier reduction on farm products and coal and other basic commodities and leave unchanged the freight rates which a very large portion of the traffic was able to bear. Neither the managers nor the commission saw fit to adopt the suggestion, so we had the horizontal reduction too slight to be felt by the higher class cargoes and too little to benefit the heavy tonnage calling most loudly for relief.

"Railways are not expected to render the most essential service in our social organization without a fair return on capital invested, but the government has gone so far in the regulation of rates and rules of operation that it has the responsibility of pointing the way to the reduced freight costs so essential to your national welfare.

G. O. Not the Solution

"Government operation does not afford the cure. Clearly the managers are without that inter-carrier, co-operative relationship so highly essential to the best and most economical operation. They could not function in harmony when the strike threatened the paralysis of all railway transportation.

"I remind you that congress provided a joint commission of agricultural inquiry which made an exhaustive investigation of car service and transportation and unanimously recommended in its report of October 15, 1921, the pooling of freight cars under a central agency. This report well deserves your serious consideration.

"In a previous address I called your attention to the insufficiency of power to enforce the decisions of the railroad labor board. Carriers have ignored its decisions on the one hand, workmen have challenged its decisions by a strike on the other hand.

"The labor board itself is not so constituted as best to serve the public interest. With six partisan members on a board of nine, three partisans nominated by the employes and three by the railway managers, it is inevitable that the partisan viewpoint is maintained throughout hearings and in decisions handed down. I am well convinced that the functions of this tribunal could be much better carried on here in Washington. Even were it to be continued as a separate tribunal there ought to be contact with the interstate commerce commission.

Suggests Labor Division

"The substitution of a labor division in the interstate commerce commission made up from its membership, to hear and decide disputes relating to wages and working conditions which have failed of adjustment by proper committees created by the railways and their employees, offers a more effective plan.

"This suggested substitution will involve a necessary increase in the membership of the commission, probably four, to constitute the labor division. If the suggestion appeals to congress it will be well to specify that the labor division shall be constituted of representatives of the four rate-making territories, thereby assuring a tribunal conversant with the conditions which obtain in the different rate-making sections of the country.

"I wish I could bring to you the precise recommendation for the prevention of strikes which threaten the welfare of the people and menace public safety. It is an impotent civilization and an inadequate government which lacks the genius and courage to guard against such a menace to public welfare as we experienced last summer. Public interest demands that ample power shall be conferred upon the labor tribunal, whether it is the present board or the suggested substitute, to require its rulings to be accepted by both parties to a disputed question.

Can't Deny Rights

"Let there be no confusion about the purpose of the suggested conferment of the power to make the decisions effective. There can be no denial of constitutional rights to either railway workmen or railway managers.

"No man can be denied his rights to labor when and how he chooses, or cease to labor when he so elects, but since the government assumes to safeguard his interests while employed in any essential public service, the security of society itself demands his retirement from the service shall not be so timed and related as to affect the destruction of that service.

"During its longer session the present congress enacted a new tariff law. The protection of the American standards of living demanded the insurance it provides against the distorted conditions of world commerce.

"No one contemplates commercial aloofness nor any other aloofness contradictory to the best American traditions or loftiest human purposes. War made us a creditor nation. We did not seek an excess possession of the world's gold, and we have neither desire to profit unduly by its possession nor permanently retain it. We do not seek to become an international dictator because of its power. We would rejoice to help rehabilitate currency systems and facilitate all commerce which does not drag us to the very levels of those we seek to lift up.

Warns of Peril From Within

"While I have everlasting faith in our republic it would be folly, indeed, to blind ourselves to our problems at home. Abusing the hospitality of our shores are the advocates of revolution, finding their deluded followers among those who take on the habiliments of an American, without knowing America's soul. There is the recrudescence of hyphenated Americanism which we thought to have been stamped out when we committed the nation, life and soul, to the world war.

"There is a call to make the alien respect our institutions while he accepts our hospitality. Let men who are rending the moral fiber of the republic through easy contempt for the prohibition law, because they think it restricts their personal liberty, remember that they set the example and breed a contempt for law which will ultimately destroy the republic.

Calls for Dry Enforcement

"Constitutional prohibition has been adopted by the nation. It is the supreme law of the land. In plain-speaking there are conditions relating to its enforcement which savor of nation-wide scandal. It is the most demoralizing factor in our public life.

"Most of our people assumed that the adoption of the eighteenth amendment meant the elimination of the question from our politics. On the contrary it has been so intensified as an issue that many voters are disposed to make all political decisions with reference to this single question. It is distracting the public mind and prejudicing the judgment of the electorate.

"The day is unlikely to come when the eighteenth amendment will be repealed. The fact may as well be recognized and our course adapted accordingly. If the statutory provisions for its enforcement are contrary to deliberate public opinion, which I do not believe, the vigorous and literal enforcement will concentrate public attention on any requisite modification. Such a course conforms with the law and saves the humiliation of the government and the humiliation of our people before the world and challenges the destructive forces engaged in widespread violation, official corruption and individual demoralization.

To Call Parley of Governors

"The eighteenth amendment involves the concurrent authority of state and federal governments for the enforcement of the policy it defines. A certain lack of definiteness, through division of responsibility is thus introduced. In order to bring about a full understanding of duties and responsibilities, as thus distributed, I purpose to invite the governors of the states at an early opportunity, to a conference with the federal executive authority. Out of the full and free considerations which will thus be possible, it is confidently believed, will emerge a more adequate comprehension of the whole problem, and definite policies of national and state co-operation in administering the laws.

Register Aliens

"There are pending bills for the registration of the alien who has come to our shores. I wish the passage of such an act might be expedited. Before enlarging the immigration quota, we had better provide registration for aliens, those now here or continually pressing for admission, and establish our examination boards abroad, to make sure of desirables only.

"Our program of admission and treatment of immigrants is very intimately related to the educational policy of the republic. I believe in the co-operation of national authority to stimulate, encourage and broaden the work of the local authorities. But it is the especial obligation of the federal government to devise means and effectively assist in the education of the new-comer from foreign lands so that the level of American education may be made the highest that is humanly possible.

Asks Child Labor Amendment

"Closely related to this problem of education is the abolition of child labor. Twice congress has attempted the correction of the evils incident to child employment. The decision of the supreme court has put this problem outside the proper domain of federal regulation until the constitution is so amended as to give congress indubitable authority. I recommend the submission of such an amendment.

"We have two schools of thought relating to amendment of the constitution. One need not be committed to the belief that amendment is weakening the fundamental law or that excessive amendment is essential to meet every ephemeral whim. We ought to amend to meet the demands of the people when sanctioned by deliberate public opinion.

"One year ago I suggested the submission of an amendment so that we may lawfully restrict the issues of tax exempt securities and I renew that recommendation now. Tax exempt securities are drying up the sources of federal taxation and they are encouraging unproductive and extravagant expenditures by states and municipalities.

"Reclamation and irrigation projects, where waste land may be made available for settlement and productivity, are worthy of your favorable consideration.

"The fuel problem is under study now by a very capable fact-finding commission and any attempt to deal with the coal problem of such deep concern to the entire nation must await the report of the commission.

High Living Costs

"The widespread difference between production costs and prices which consumers pay concerns every citizen of the republic. It contributes very largely to the unrest in agriculture and must stand sponsor for much against which we inveigh in that familiar term—the high cost of living.

"No doubt the excess is traceable to the levy of the middleman, but it would be unfair to charge him with all responsibility before we appraise what is exacted of him by our modern complex life. We have attacked the problem on one side by the promotion of co-operative marketing and we might well inquire into the benefits of co-operative buying. Admittedly the consumer is much to blame himself of his prodigal expenditure, his exaction of services, but the government might well serve to point the way of narrowing the spread of price, especially between the production of food and its consumption.

"A super power survey of the eastern industrial region has recently been completed, looking to unification of steam, water and electric powers, and to a unified scheme of power distribution.

"The survey proved that vast economies in tonnage movement of freights and in the efficiency of the railroads, would be effected if the super-power program were adopted.

To Survey Natural Resources

"The proposed survey of a plan to draft all the resources of the republic, human and material, for national defense, may well have your approval. I commended such a program in case of future war, in the inaugural address of March 4, 1921, and every experience in the adjustment and liquidation of war claims and the settlement of war obligations persuades me we ought to be prepared for such universal call to armed defense.

"I bring you no apprehension of war. The world is abhorrent of it, and our own relations are not only free from every threatening cloud but we have contributed our larger influence toward making armed conflict less likely.

"Those who assume that we played our part in the world war and later took ourselves aloof and apart, unmindful of world obligations, give scant credit to the helpful part we assume in international relationships.

"Whether all nations signatory ratify all the treaties growing out of the Washington conference on limitation of armament or some withhold approval, the underlying policy of limiting naval armament has the sanction of larger naval powers and naval competition is suspended. Of course, unanimous ratification is much to be desired.

Respect Rights of Nations

"Treaties of armed alliance can have no likelihood of American sanction but we believe in respecting the rights of nations in the value of conference and consultation, in the effectiveness of leaders of nations looking each other in the face before resorting to the arbitrament of arms.

"Every obligation concomant with American ideals and sanctioned under our form of government is willingly met. When we cannot support we do not demand. Our constitutional limitations do not forbid the exercise of a moral influence, the measure of which is not less than the high purposes we have sought to serve.

"After all there is less difference about the part this great republic shall play in furthering peace and advancing humanity than in the manner of playing it. We ask no one to assume responsibility for us; we assume no responsibility which others must bear for themselves unless nationality is hopelessly swallowed up in internationalism."

NAVIGATION CLOSES

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Navigation on the Fox and Wolf rivers will close for the season Saturday evening, December 9, according to an announcement made Friday by District Engineer F. S. Skinner.

The season this year was about two weeks longer owing to the coal strike and the June floods which washed away the canal bank at Little Rapids, tying up navigation between Green Bay and Appleton nearly all summer. Coal shipments were 75,000 tons less than last season, it was reported.

A Hypothetical Case

"Mama, Tige's begging. Must I give him a piece of my cookie?"

"Of course you must—"

"Well, I haven't any cookie!"—Life.

Habit Occasionally Sad

Man is so purely a creature of habit that even an affliction may become dear to him in time.—Gatesville Republican.

Constance Talmadge in "East is West"

At the Rivoli Theater tonight and Saturday.

ATTRACTIVE FRENCH WOMAN VEILED IN TURKISH STYLE

The Turkish veil, or yashmak, which women of the occident are takingto, especially for wear on shipboard, may not be very effective against the salt spray, but certainly it is wonderfully alluring.

It is shown here worn by Mme. Louis Icart, wife of the French portrait painter, a recent arrival in this country.

There's a coyness, an air of mystery about it, whic it would be hard to equal.

HERRIN JURY IS COMPLETED AFTER FIVE WEEKS' WORK

MARION, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—The jury to try the five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine killings was completed shortly before noon Friday. Five weeks have been consumed in obtaining the jury. More than 200 veniremen have been examined.

Eight jurors had been accepted previously and Friday morning the defense tendered a panel of four which was acceptable to the state. The average age of the jury is 44 years.

MINERS GOING HOME

HIBBING, Minn.—The departure of miners from the Mesaba range to European points has increased the last few weeks, with the announcement by the mining companies that mining work will be suspended here during the winter season. Thursday eight Italian miners from Carson Lake departed for their homeland. They are combining pleasure with business. They will be able to visit their relatives over the holidays and at the same time will stay in Europe until the mining operations resume here, they said.

The Lazy Dog

Mr. Green was wandering down a country road, when he saw a man watching a dog. The dog was sitting beside a hedge, crying piteously.

Mr. Green was tended hearted and asked what was the matter.

"Oh, he's just lazy!" said the man.

"Lazy!" said Mr. Green. "But laziness surely wouldn't make him cry like that!"

"Well, it does," said the man, "because that dog is sitting on a thistle and is too darned lazy to move!"—Farm Life.

Never a Blue Rose

Roses of almost every hue were displayed at the National Rose Society's summer show in the Botanic Gardens, London, but there was nothing approaching a shade of blue. The blue rose has often been sought, but has never been realized. This is in accordance with what one writer describes as a fixed principle in botany, that blossoms showing two of the primary colors will not enlarge into a third. As there are red and yellow roses there will never be a blue one.

In the Interest of Accuracy

"You have heard what the last witness said," persisted counsel, "and yet your evidence is to the contrary. Am I to infer that you wish to throw doubt on her veracity?"

The polite young man waved a deprecating hand.

"Not at all," he replied. "I merely wish to make it clear what a liar I am if she's speaking the truth."—Wausau Record-Herald.

Promise

Love beyond my saddest dreaming
You have sworn you'll show to me;
You will guide me to the gleaming,
Reeling heights of ecstasy.
Dizzier joy than else could reach me,
Fiercer bliss and wilder thrill,
All of this some day you'll teach me,
Y-e-e-s you will!—D. P. in Life.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Reduction of call money to 4½ per cent and President Harding's message to congress, approving railroad mergers and pooling of equipment, stimulated the upper movement in the final dealings, several of the representative railroad shares including Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, New York Central and Southern Railway preferred advancing 1 to 1¼ points. Fisher Body, American Tobacco and Tidewater Oil also were strong. The close was strong. Sales 900,000 shares.

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	74
Allis-Chalmers	44¼
American Beet Sugar	42¼
American Can	73
American Car and Foundry	165
American Hide and Leather pfd	62½
American International Corp.	39
American Locomotive	123¾
American Smelting and Refining	53½
American Sugar	76½
American Sumatra Tobacco	28½
American T. and T.	124⅛
American Tobacco	155
American Woolen	35⅝
Anaconda Copper	48⅛
Atchison	101¼
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	24⅞
Baldwin Locomotive	123¼
Baltimore and Ohio	43
Bethlehem Steel "B"	62¾
Canadian Pacific	141⅝
Central Leather	33⅝
Chandler Motors	62⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	65¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	22⅛
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	32⅝
Chino Copper	24
Colorado Fuel and Iron	25
Corn Products	131½
Crucible Steel	65¼
Erie	16¾
Famous Players-Lasky	90⅝
General Asphalt	46¼
General Electric	183
General Motors	13⅝
Goodrich Co.	35
Great Northern pfd	79
Illinois Central	107¾
Inspiration Copper	33½
International Harvester	88¼
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	51
International Paper	52¾
Invincible Oil	15⅝
Kelly-Springfield Tire	43
Kennecott Copper	35½
Louisville and Nashville	133½
Mexican Petroleum	127
Miami Copper	27⅛
Midle States Oil ex div	12¾
Midvale Steel	27⅞
Missouri Pacific	16½
New York Central	95¾
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	21⅝
Norfolk and Western	111½
Northern Pacific	75¾
Oklahoma Prod anr Ref	2⅛
Pacific Oil	47⅝
Pan American Petroleum	39
Pennsylvania	46⅝
People's Gas	91
Pure Oil	28¾
Ray Consolidated Copper	13⅝
Reading	77¼
Rep. Iron and Steel	46¾
Royal Dutch N. Y.	53¼
Sears Roebuck	81
Sinclair Con. Oil	22½
Southern Pacific	86½
Southern Railway	22¾
Standard Oil of N. J.	199
Studebaker Corporation	133¼
Tennessee Copper	9⅝
Texas Co.	48¾
Texas and Pacific	22½
Tobacco Products	80¾
Transcontinental Oil	12¾
Union Pacific	138
United Retail Stores	21⅞
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	65½
United States Rubber	52¾
United States Steel	100¾
Utah Copper	62⅛
Westinghouse Electric	60
Chicago and Northwestern	80¾
Maxwell Motors "B"	15½
Consolidated Gas, ex rights	125

MINNEAPOLIS FLAX

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flax—No. 1, $2.56 to $2.57.

MYSTERY SHROUDS DOCTOR'S DEATH

DR. FRANK FOX

GREENEVILLE, Tenn. — What may develop into a mystery as great as the Hall-Mills murder case is puzzling police here in the death of Dr. Frank Fox, 26-year-old son of wealthy Dr. C. P. Fox, owner of the Greeneville hospital and sanitarium.

Dr. Fox's body was found in an automobile along a roadside near here. A bullet had pierced his heart and a pistol by beside him. A woman's high-heeled print in the road is the only clew.

Miss Evelyn Kincheloe of Manassas, Va., was to have wed Dr. Fox on Christmas Day. She has come to Greeneville to aid in solving the mystery.

OBITUARY

MRS. ELLEN B. WILLIAMS

Mrs. Ellen Williams, a well known resident of the city for many years, died suddenly at 2 o'clock Friday morning at her home, 119 North Nineteenth street, of heart failure. She was 71 years old.

Surviving are six children, John Williams, George Williams, Mrs. Ed. Stuber, all of this city; Frank and Nettie Williams of Winona and Mrs. Samuel Zentner of Merced, Cal.; also six grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's Cathedral.

JOSEPH ASSELIN

Joseph Asselin, veteran riverman and resident of La Crosse since 1866, died at his home, 1347 Caledonia street, early Friday morning. The funeral will be held at 8 a. m. Monday at the home and at 8:30 a. m. at St. James' Catholic church. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

FRANK STILWELL

Frank Stilwell passed away at 7 o'clock this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Henrietta Scott, 1607 Liberty street, after a brief illness of pneumonia.

He was born in Depeyster, St. Lawrence Co., New York, December 29, 1846. The past six years he has made his home with his sister, Mrs. H. Scott of La Crosse, previous to this his home was at Chicago, Ill. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. R. Martin, of Galesburg, Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. H. Scott of La Crosse and Mrs. Mary J. Axtell of Canton, New York; two brothers, W. H. Stilwell of Phoenix Arizona and Smith Stilwell of Ogdensburg, N. Y. also two grand children.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon Dec. 11, at the Tetley Funeral chapel, 208 So. 4th street, at two-thirty o'clock. Rev. Strain, pastor of the North Presbyterian church will officiate. Burial at the Oak Grove cemetery. Friends are requested to please omit flowers.

ELIZABETH JOLLIVETTE

Elizabeth Elda, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jollivette in West La Crosse died Thursday morning at 7:30 after a short illness from bronchitis.

She leaves besides her parents two brothers Francois and Frederick at home.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. at their home in west La Crosse. Mr. Upton will officiate and interment will be made in the French Island cemetery.

IRON MOUNTAIN NURSE GIVEN MILITARY FUNERAL

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich.—A military funeral will be conducted by the Iron Mountain American Legion post here Saturday for Mrs. Mabel Walker, who served as an army nurse during the world war and who died recently in Chicago after an illness of several months. Mrs. Walker was one of the few army nurses sent overseas from the upper peninsula and will be the first woman from this region to receive a military funeral.

ORLANDO HOLWAY FILES BANKRUPTCY PETITION IN CITY

Nearly all of $311,000 Claims Secured by Notes and Bills Paper Recites

Orlando Holway, adjutant general of Wisconsin and for many years a resident of La Crosse, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in United States court here, with liabilities of $311,191 and assets $250, claimed to be exempt. All of the claims included in the list of liabilities except $3,457 are secured "by notes and bills to be paid by other parties," the petition recites.

These notes and bills are signed by Orlando Holway and E. G. Boynton, representing the Wisconsin Farm Land company, which dealt extensively in northern Wisconsin Lands for many years. Lands held by the company furnished the security for the loans.

JURY WILL PROBE ROAD SCANDAL IN WASHINGTON COUNTY

WEST BEND, Wis.—Assurance of a thorough investigation into the so-called Washington county road scandal was given at the court house here Friday when it was announced that Judge C. M. Davison, circuit judge of Waukesha, Washington and Dodge counties, would come here from Waukesha to confer with the jury commissioners on the calling of a county grand jury.

During the November session of the county board of supervisors, a resolution was passed appropriating $5,000 to investigate actions of the members and employes of the county road and bridge committee, and it was requested that a grand jury be called to investigate. The resolution charged gross carelessness in the use of funds and favoritism in awarding road building contracts.

TWO SENTENCED FOR RECEIVING STOLEN U. S. ARMY GOODS

FREEPORT, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Robert Hoag and Stanley Wallace of South Beloit, Ill., found guilty Friday by a jury on the charge of knowingly having received property stolen from the government at Camp Grant, were sentenced to serve four and three months respectively in Winnebago county jail, fined $500 each and ordered to pay half the costs of prosecution by Federal Judge Lindley.

William Stultz, former sergeant at Camp Grant, testified in the trial he and William Thompson, a corporal, stole 400 army blankets and hid them in a garage owned by George Schroeder at Rockford, later selling them to Hoag and Wallace for two dollars each.

LEGION AT OSHKOSH MAKING PLANS FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION

OSHKOSH.—Preliminary plans are being made by the two local posts of the Grand Army of the Republic for the annual state department encampment of the G. A. R. to be held here in June. The exact date for the reunion will be decided shortly and details will be worked out soon after the first of the new year. John W. Scott post and Philip H. Sheridan post have both selected committees on arrangements, following their annual election of officers.

AGED WOODSMAN KILLED; STRUCK BY FALLING TREE

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich.—Edwin Anderson, 70, died Thursday from injuries sustained when he was struck by a falling tree while working in the woods in the Ontonagon district. The aged woodsman left camp Wednesday morning for his daily work but when he did not return for his dinner, a search was started which culminated when he was found unconscious, his skull fractured and right arm broken. He died without regaining consciousness.

Anderson's death makes the second from a falling tree in this vicinity the past week.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our late bereavement, the death of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Andreas, the choir, the Shelby society, the Frohsinn society, the pallbearers and all who sent floral offerings.

MRS. MARY LINSE AND FAMILY.

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Indians Anxious for Education and White Man's Medicine Says Commissioner

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Increased facilities for education of Indian children is recommended by Charles H. Burke, commissioner of Indian affairs, in his annual report, made public today. The number receiving education in government boarding schools and state public schools was 2,000 more than in any previous year, he said, but in the southwest facilities are still needed.

The Indians, adults as well as children, in the semi-arid sections, are anxious for further education, Commissioner Burke reported, and any further denial of such enlightenment is unjustified, especially in the light of the government's treaty of 1868 pledging a school for every 30 children.

The Indian service is also desirous of further medical and health facilities, he said, as the Indians were never so receptive of medical treatment. The medicine men are passing and the government hospitals are well patronized. A hospital in every Indian reservation is recommended to provide especially for the sick and aged, of whom there are many without homes or means for proper treatment.

Operations in oil were stimulated throughout the productive areas of Indian territory, due largely to the advance in market prices from $1 to $2 per barrel. Promising development has been made in the Shoshone reservation, Wyoming, the Crow and Blackfeet reservations, Montana, and a Navajo treaty land in Arizona and New Mexico, but the largest output continues to be in Oklahoma, and particularly in the Osage reservation. Three sales of Osage oil leases during the year exceeded $22,000,000; the gross production was nearly 29,000,000 barrels, and the royalties on oil and gas to the Indians for the year were $6,225,701.

HOLSTEIN BREEDERS MEET IN LA CROSSE ON TUESDAY, DEC. 12

The annual meeting of the La Crosse county Holstein Breeders Association will begin next Tuesday morn, December 12, at the chamber of commerce in the city of the La Crosse. This is said to be the first time that the annual meeting of the association has been held outside of Wis' Salem.

The members of the association will be entertained with a dinner at noon, following which the usual program of business will be held. Three outside speakers have been secured for the occasion. They are: L. L. Oldham, Madison, secretary of the Wisconsin Holstein-Friesian association, Reid Murray, Madison, secretary of the Wisconsin Livestock Breeders' association and Leon Robbins, livestock editor of the Wisconsin Agriculturist.

Umbrella Handles Detached

Umbrella handles are now made detachable so that the handle may be changed to match the costume.

MAIL CHRISTMAS PARCELS EARLY, HELP POSTOFFICE HANDLE RUSH, IS LA CROSSE POSTMASTER'S PLEA

POSTMASTER OLAF SKAAR is making preparations to handle in a manner which shall be entirely satisfactory the Christmas mail for La Crosse, and in order to be able to do this is asking the co-operation of patrons of the postoffice. In an appeal to mail early, made public by him he calls attention of patrons to the heavy business cared for just before Christmas, stating that the volume of mail handled the ten days before Christmas, is more than double the normal amount. All railway mail equipment is placed in service and is hardly adequate to handle the rush, he pointed out.

Postmaster Skaar states that in order to meet the Christmas emergency the force of employes of the La Crosse postoffice will be increased and the regular clerks and carriers will work long hours overtime.

The appeal to the patrons of the La Crosse postoffice for assistance in meeting the Christmas rush concludes as follows: "Every indication is that we will have the largest volume of Christmas packages to be handled this year in the history of the department. We come to you, asking your assistance in meeting this emergency and make the following suggestions:

"Pack your parcels carefully and wrap them well, use heavy strong wrapping paper, (not tissue paper), write the address plainly on both sides of package, put on your return address, insure your valuable parcels. Mail early. Mail early.

"Do not wait until the last possible day. In doing so you are very liable to disappoint some one, as a present received after Christmas day loses the sentiment you desire to express.

"You have the privilege of placing the words "Do not open until Christmas" on the outside of your package."

Will you help?

SUPERIOR GETS SNOW

SUPERIOR, Wis.—Superior's snow fighting army has been mobilized and was in action Friday morning following a two days' storm that has put a three-inch blanket of snow on Superior streets, with a forecast of more, according to E. B. Banks, local meteorologist. The maximum temperature for Thursday was 21 degrees and the minimum was six degrees. The temperature later rose to 21 degrees, with the prevailing direction of the wind from the southwest.

New Automatic Cabinet

Music rolls are quickly found in a new automatic cabinet. A desk-like top has the contents of the case indicated in cards. Touch a button at any card and the desired roll will be thrust out for removal.

CANADA PROVIDES FORTY MILLIONS FOR GOOD ROADS

Highway Construction Carried Out on Larger Scale than Ever Before

OTTAWA, Ont.—Forty million dollars is being spent on good roads in Canada this year. Highways construction has been carried on on a larger scale this year than ever before and the appropriations for work are the highest on record, according to A. W. Campbell, commissioner of highways.

"Of the total sum spent, $15,000,000 will be used on Federal aided highways, of which $6,000,000 will come out of the Dominion treasury," said Mr. Campbell. "Expenditures being made by the provinces and counties on roads not receiving federal assistance will amount to about $25,000,000."

There are now 1,000 miles of permanent paved road in Canada, or sufficient mileage to extend one-third of the distance between this Atlantic and Pacific coast, according to Mr. Campbell, who added that this mileage is being increased as rapidly as possible.

The Dominion government has appropriated $20,000,000 to be used in construction of main highways and market roads, calculated to cover a period of five years. This is divided among the provinces on the basis of population. Under the terms of the grant the provinces carry out the road building, and the government, on approval of the plans, contributes 40 percent of the cost. This guarantees standardization of roadways and places only 60 percent expense on the provinces.

Highway improvement has been especially rapid in the West, due to the rapid development of the great agricultural districts by the influx of new settlers, states Mr. Campbell. Farmers are doing much of their marketing with motor trucks and crops are quickly transported to market over the modern highways.

Blind Girl Graduates

A blind girl, Catherine Burke, was recently graduated from the Columbia university with high honors.

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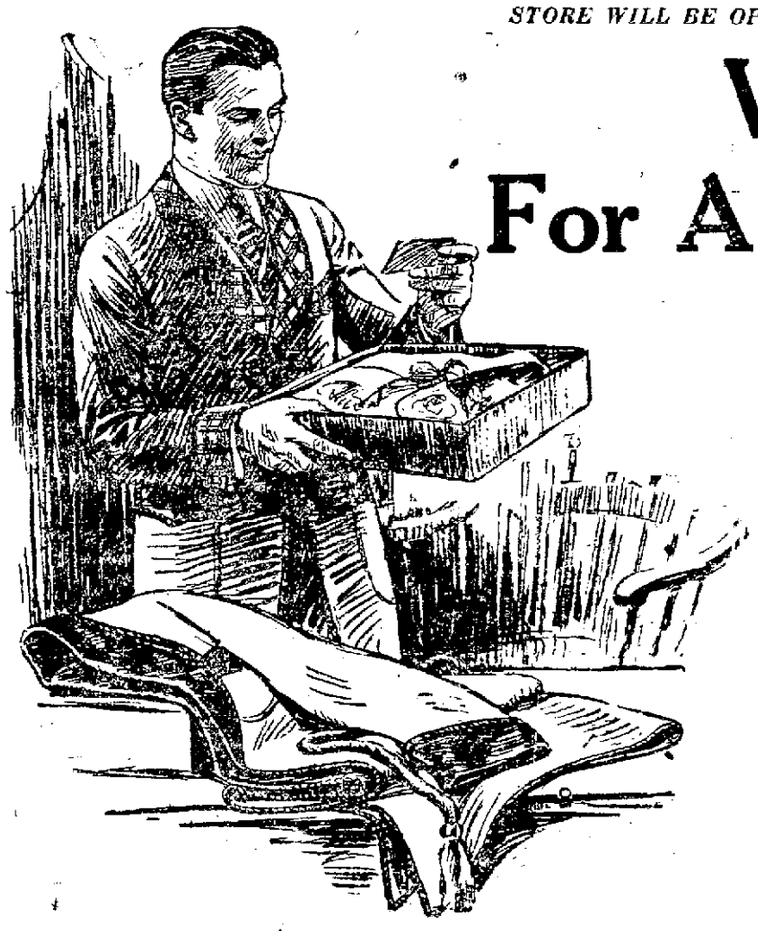

We Are Ready For A Real Old Fashioned Christmas

This store is ready for the Christmas jubilee. Every department is brimming over with fine things for holiday giving. The best markets have been ransacked many months ago for the beautiful, the serviceable, and the practical things. Here they are awaiting your approval.

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A SUIT OR OVERCOAT

WONDERFUL VALUES AT

$30 $35 $40 $45

Nothing is so expressive of the holiday spirit as a gift of a fine Suit or Overcoat. If a man chose a worth while gift for himself he would select something of this nature.

Choose a Gift He Would Pick Himself

SHIRTS
Every man appreciates a nice Shirt as a gift.
Silk Shirts..$6.50 to $8.50
Radium Silk, plain colors. Silk Mixtures, $3.00 to $5.00
Madras and Percales—$1.50 to $3.00

GLOVES
A fine selection of choice leathers in the popular shades.
Unlined ....$2.00 to $4.50
Silk Lined...$2.50 to $3.50
Wool Lined..$2.50 to $3.50
Fur Lined...$5.00 to $7.50

FUR CAPS
Hudson Seal and Natural Muskrat, priced from—$5.00 to $12.00
Cloth Caps..$1.50 to $3.00

HOSIERY
Here is a selection of fine silk, wool or cotton, colors that he will like.
Silk Hose.....50c to $1.50
Cotton Hose....15c to 35c
Wool Hose....50c to $1.00
Wool and Silk..$1.50 to $2

LEATHER GOODS
We are showing a great assortment of Leather Goods for many needs. Reasonably priced.
Suit Cases, Traveling Bags, Boston Bags, Collar Bags, Toilet Sets, Pocket Books, Bill Folds, etc., etc.

SWEATERS
The man engaged in any outdoor activity will appreciate one of these.
Button Coats, $6.00 to $10
Slip-on style, $5.00 to $8.50

SPORT COATS
Plain and belted models—$6.00 to $8.50

Neckwear and Hose from 75c and over; will on request be boxed in Christmas boxes.

Gifts For Little and Big Boys

SUITS, ages 8 to 16 ..... $7.50 to $18.00
JUVENILE SUITS, ages 3 to 7 ..... $3.50 to $7.50
VELVET SUITS, ages 3 to 7 ..... $6.50
BOYS' OVERCOATS, 10 to 16 ..... $10.00 to $15.00
JUVENILE OVERCOATS, ages 3 to 10, Plush and Fur trimmed ..... $5.00 to $12.00
MACKINAWS, MOLESKIN and CORDUROY SHEEP LINED COATS, ages 8 to 18, priced at ..... $10.00 up to $18.00
BOYS' SWEATER COATS and SLIP-ONS, an odd lot going at $1.50
Others at ..... $3.50, $4.00, $5.00 up to $6.00
JUVENILE SWEATER COATS, plain and belted models, all colors, ages 3 to 7, $2.50, $3, $3.25
Fancy Percale, Flannel and Blue Chambray BLOUSES ..... 85c to $2.00
TIM'S MUFFLER CAPS $1.55
VICTOR MUFFLER CAPS $1.25
KNITTED HOCKEY CAPS 50c, 75c, $1.00
LEATHER and WOOL GLOVES and MITTENS at ..... 50c to $1.00
COTTON and WOOL HOSE ..... 25c to 90c

GOLF HOSE, assorted colors ... $1.00
FLANNEL SHIRTS at $2.00

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HOUSE COATS
For his pleasant evenings at home he will welcome one of these
House Coats, $8.50 to $12.00
Dressing Gowns, $15 to $18
Bath Robes, $5.00 to $15.00
Bath Slippers.

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This selection includes imported and domestic cut silks and the popular knitted styles, including the famous Berkley Knits.
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TRAVELING AND TOILET SETS
Military Brushes, etc., all reasonably priced.

JEWELRY NOVELTIES
A gift always appreciated—Knife and Chain, Cuff Buttons, Belt Buckles, Pencil and Chain, Scarf Pins, Tie Clasps, Full Dress Sets, Collar Buttons, etc., and Tuxedo Sets.

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Always a welcome gift because it's a necessary article.
Prices from $1.25 to $10.00
Canes ...$1.00 up to $4.00

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Handkerchiefs are always appreciated as a gift. Here you find a large assortment—Silk, Linen, Mercerized and Cotton, plain or initial. Prices
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VELOUR HATS
Give him a Velour Hat—$5.00 to $12.00
Stetson and Mallory soft Hats, rough finish, all colors, at.....$5.00 to $7.50
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CANNON URGES PLAN TO REDUCE NUMBER OF AUTO ACCIDENTS

Advocates State Highway Laws and Heavy Penalties for Violations

MADISON, Wis.—State highway police and heavy penalties for violations of the state speed laws were urged here by Secretary Frank Cannon of the Wisconsin Good Roads Association as a means of reducing the number of fatalities caused by automobiles. Mr. Cannon declared that 10,000 are killed annually in this country and $1,500,000 are injured as result of automobile accidents and that Wisconsin has her share of these accidents.

"The reduction of these numbers," declared Mr. Cannon, "is primarily a matter of law enforcement. Our present speed laws are adequate if they are enforced. It should be the duty of highway officers to prevent the breaking of the laws, rather than laying for men who exceed the speed limit."

Mr. Cannon believes that state and county highway officers in uniform should be employed on the important trunk highways. For the present, however, the only feasible plan is to have such officers employed by the sheriffs of the counties.

Fines are proving inadequate as penalties for offenders against the speed laws believes Mr. Cannon. He suggests that after a person has been apprehended two or three times on such a charge that he have his license revoked. Such a plan, he declares, is meeting with success in eastern states.

"The proper control of automobile traffic is proving to be a big problem today," says Mr. Cannon, "because these machines came upon us so suddenly and in such large numbers. We have not had time yet to work out an adequate solution of the problem."

Would Seem Like That

The editor of a local paper received the following letter, apparently from a subscriber: "Don't send us your paper any more. We ain't taking any paper now or we would take yours. But we don't want none at the present time. The Blanktown Blandsheet is an awful good paper, but we can't take no paper now, so please stop your paper. We'll take your paper again when we can take a paper. Don't send it no more."

The substance the editor made out of the foregoing was that the man evidently wanted his paper discontinued.—Exchange.

Velvet Bracelets

From Paris come some attractive black velvet bracelets with a small pocket in which a bright colored silk handkerchief, about six inches square, is carried.—Wausau Record-Herald.

RENEW ATTEMPTS TO HAVE DELLS TAKEN OVER AS STATE PARK

MADISON, Wis.—A second attempt to have the Dells of the Wisconsin river taken over as a state park will be made in the coming session of the legislature. This was learned Wednesday when Senator George Staudenmayer announced that he will introduce a bill to that effect when the session convenes January 10th.

"I have pronounced ideas on taxation reforms for the relief of our farmers," delared Senator Staudenmayer, "and I may introduce some measures along these lines. Practical economy must be practiced at the coming session and laws enacted that will relieve the farmers and laboring men from the unjust burden of taxation which they are now carrying."

WOMEN IN LONDON GREATLY OUTNUMBER MALE POPULATION

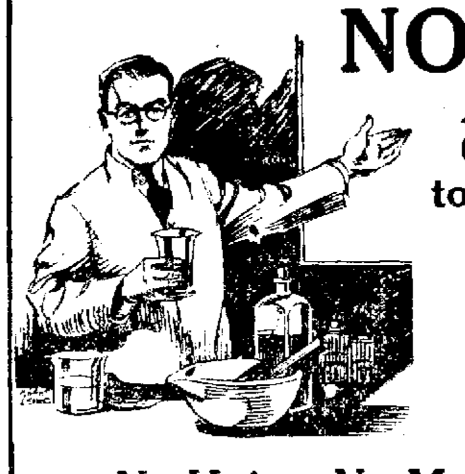
Excess of Women Over Men is Reported as More than Quarter of a Million

LONDON.—A record increase in the number of females, as compared with males, in the city of London during the last year is shown in the census figures. In the interval between the census of 1911 and that of 1921 the female excess in London rose from 1,127 to 1,165 as compared with 1,000 males.

In actual figures the females excess in London is 343,365, an increase in ten years of 72,362. The effect of the war on the female population is shown by the fact that nearly 26,000 of this increase, or about 36 per cent, is accounted for by widows. While the enumerated population of London fell nearly one per cent during this period, widows increased in number to 12 per cent.

Although there was a considerable increase in the number of persons between the ages of 95 and 100 in this period, the centenarians fell from twenty, five males and fifteen females, to sixteen, six males and ten females.

The proper humidification of the air of the house makes it possible to have a more desirable temperature with the expenditure of less fuel.



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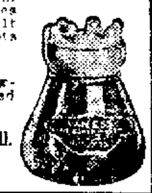

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Ginger Ale	Orange-Crush
Grape	Raspberry
Knut Kola	Root Beer
Lemon-Crush	Snappy Limes
Lemon Soda	Strawberry

Crown Lithia Water

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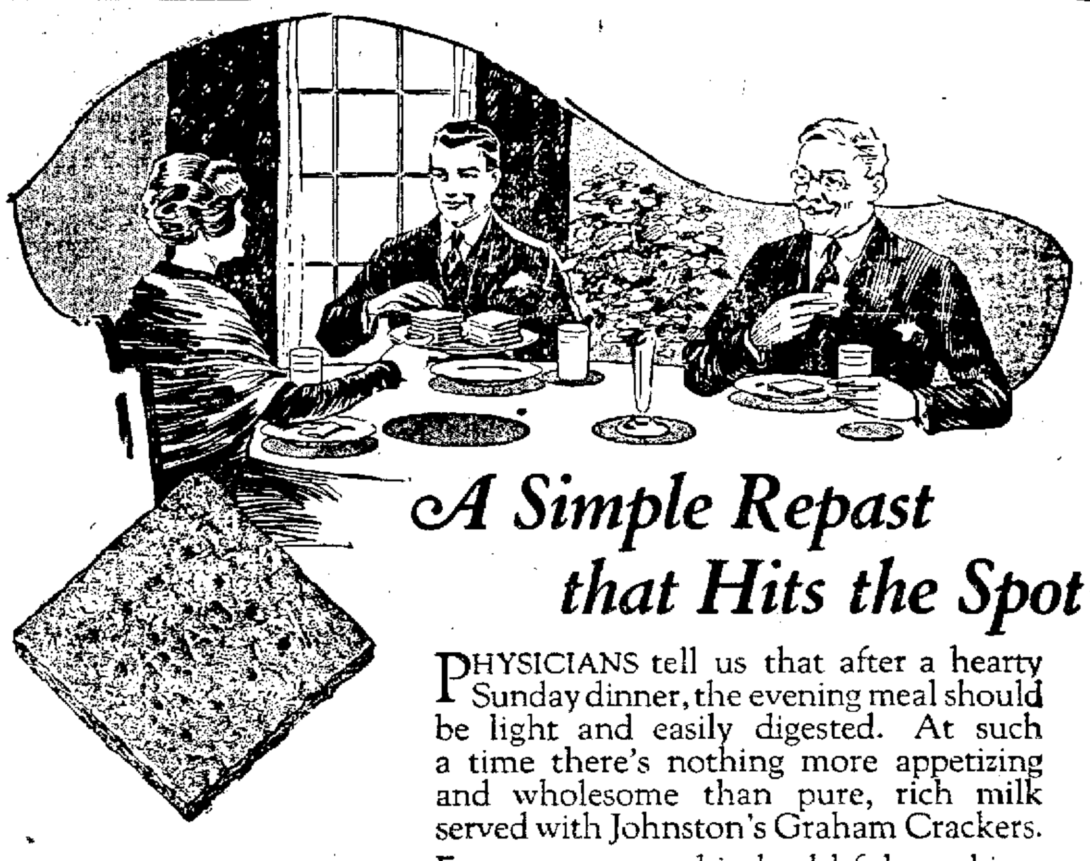

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PHYSICIANS tell us that after a hearty Sunday dinner, the evening meal should be light and easily digested. At such a time there's nothing more appetizing and wholesome than pure, rich milk served with Johnston's Graham Crackers.

For many years this healthful combination has been a favorite with grown-ups who like to have a bite to eat before retiring. Housewives find Graham Crackers and milk a very satisfactory lunch on busy days at home. Sportsmen like them in their lunch box when they go hunting or hiking.

Be sure to ask for *Johnston's* Grahams when you order from your grocer. Sold in bulk, 10-cent packages, 4 pound family package and 7 pound can.

Recipe for Johnston's Graham Cracker Torte

1 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon butter, cream well. Add 2 eggs, 1½ cups sour milk, 1 teaspoon soda, 35 Graham Crackers—rolled fine. Mix and bake in two layers in medium oven.

For filling between layers use a custard filling made as follows:

1 egg—beat well, add
1 cup sweet milk, and
1 heaping teaspoon corn starch

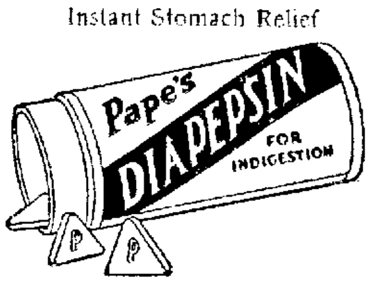
Cook on slow fire and when this thickens, add Vanilla Flavor to suit. If desired, a few nut meats can be added also. Put between layers and sprinkle powder sugar on top.

Distributors: Smith Candy Co., La Crosse.

Johnston's Cookies & Crackers

INDIGESTION !!! UPSET STOMACH, GAS, GAS, GAS

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief



Instant relief from sourness, gases or acidity of stomach; from indigestion, flatulence, palpitation, headache or any stomach distress.

The moment you chew a few "Pape's Diapepsin" tablets your stomach feels fine.

Correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless! Any drug store.

ASK US ABOUT THE NEW DRY

D-G STORAGE BATTERY

Guaranteed for 2½ years.

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SALE ON ROGER'S, COMMUNITY, ALVIN and WALLACE SILVERWARE

Our entire stock at Reduced Sale Price.

Bent handle Baby Spoons—50c and 75c
Pickle Fork, Jam Spoon—50c and 75c
Tea Spoons, $1.00, $2.00, $3.00
Soup Spoons, $2, $4.00, $6.00
Six Knives and six Forks—$5.00, $6.50, $8.50
Hollow Handled and Flat Forks, $10.50, $12.50, $15.00
Cold Meat Forks, at—90c, $1.15, $2.25
Gravy Ladles, 95c, $1.65, $2.50
Berry Spoons, at—$1.25, $1.85, $2.75
Six Salad Forks, at—$3.50, $4.50, $5.50

All above are cut prices. Buy now.

HELLFACH, Jeweler

We Sell for Less.

December Sales of Importance

A Chance For Big Savings On Your Christmas Shoes and Slippers

LADIES' SHOES

LADIES' SHOES—Gun metal lace, 8-inch top, military heels, on sale at **$2.83**

LADIES' SHOES—In dark brown lace, military heels, medium toes, regular $4.00 values, at per pair **$2.98**

LADIES' SHOES—In brown or black, military or school heels, for dress or school wear, values to $5.00, sale price per pair **$3.68**

Men's Shoes

In brown or black, finest quality calfskin. English toes, were $6.50, price ... **$2.98**

MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES In black gun metal, English lace, a big bargain at **$1.98**

MEN'S WORK SHOES Of heavy leather, in brown, double soles, full balast tongues, special at **$1.98**

MEN'S FELT SHOES High cut, leather soles and heels, special at per pair.... **$3.00**

Ladies' Oxfords

LADIES' OXFORDS — In brown kid or calfskin, military or low heels, rubber heels, our $4.50 grade, on sale **$3.98**

LADIES' OXFORDS — In brown or black, low heels, round toes, black, have rubber heels, extra wide, regular $3.50 grade, at **$2.98**

LADIES' SHOES—High heels, in brown or black, finest kid, were $5.00, at per pair **$1.98**

LADIES' PUMPS—In black or brown, 1-strap, low or military heels, rubber heels, $4.50 values, pair.. **$3.98**

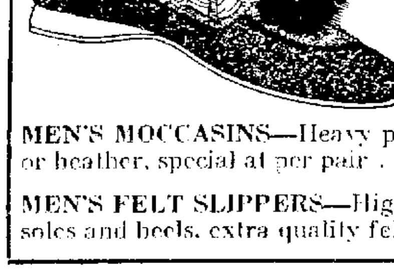
MEN'S DRESS SHOES

MEN'S DRESS SHOES—In dark brown, new round or square toes, with neat perforations, rubber heels, others ask $5.00, our price— **$4.50**

MEN'S DRESS SHOES — In brown, round toes, perforations on tip, rubber heels, a $4.50 shoe, at per pair **$3.98**

MEN'S SHOES—In gun metal, medium English toe, splendid quality, were $5.00, Sale Price at per pair **$3.48**

LADIES' MOCCASINS, of heavy felt, padded soles, pom-pom trimmed, in navy, plum and grey, special at pair.. **85c**



LADIES' FELT SLIPPERS With leather soles and heels, in grey or black, extra quality felt, high cut, at pair— **$1.25**

MEN'S MOCCASINS—Heavy padded soles in grey or heather, special at per pair **$1.35**

MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS—High or low cut, leather soles and heels, extra quality felt, at pair **$1.69**

INFANTS' SHOES—In black button, cloth top, sizes 3 to 4, on sale at per pair **65c**

INFANTS' SHOES—First step, sizes 1 to 5, black kid button, at per pair only **$1.00**

CHILD'S SHOES—Sizes 5½ to 8, black or brown button, $1.75 values, at per pair **$1.39**

GIRLS' SHOES—Sizes 8½ to 11, button or lace, stitched soles, brown or black, special at pair **$1.98**

LITTLE GENTS' SHOES—Gun metal English lace, sizes 9 to 1½, $3.00 values, at **$1.98**

CHILDREN'S BOOTEES In red or navy blue, with pictures and nursery rhymes on collars, sizes 5 to 11, per pair **$1.00**

LADIES' MOSCOW BOOTS All rubber with black astrachan collar, to be worn over shoes, at pair **$3.85**

LADIES' FOUR-BUCKLE ARCTICS Finest waterproof jersey top, for low or military heels, first quality, at per pair **$3.75**

MEN'S HIGH TOP BOOTS In brown or black, 12-inch top, solid grain leather, very durable, were $7.50, sale price **$4.95**

PAULSEN SHOE CO.

312 PEARL STREET

SIAM THROWS WHITE ELEPHANT WORSHIP INTO THE DISCARD

Former Sacred Animals no Longer Held in Reverence by the People

BANGKOK Siam—White elephants are losing prestige in Siam the country which made them famous. Although several of these animals are kept in captivity in Bangkok, the capital, they are no longer revered by the people as in former days.

The possession of one or more white elephants was considered as one of the necessities of kingship by the early rulers of Siam and the other countries of the Malay peninsula. Disputes over ownership were the cause of frequent wars. In the sixteenth century, for instance, Bayin Naung king of Burma demanded a white elephant from the King of Siam. Upon being refused, he invaded the country and captured the royal family and three white elephants. According to one of the Siamese legends, Gautama Buddha was once a white elephant, and his mother, in a dream, met him in heaven in that shape.

No elephants are entirely white. The so-called white elephants are only a little lighter in color than ordinary elephants. Sometimes one has a few white hairs on the head or tail.

In olden days, the discovery of a white elephant was a source of great joy to the people. After the animal had been tethered with silken cords, news would be sent to the king. Then a body of nobles would visit the place and escort the elephant, in stately procession, to the capital where a palace would be erected for it.

After a period of taming the elephant would be given covers of velvet and silk, embroidered with gold and precious stones. A gold plate, bearing his name and titles, would be fastened on his head. Slaves, priests, musicians and dancing-girls were set apart for his amusement. The finest vegetables and fruits were given him as food.

But nowadays white elephants have gone out of style. At the present time they are brought to Bangkok by train, without any guard of honor. They are housed in ordinary stables, with no priests or dancing-girls in attendance. Hay, leaves and young bamboos are given them to eat. The white elephant now lives the same work-a-day life as his darker-skinned fellows, though in the legends of the Siamese and in their national flag he will be honored for centuries to come.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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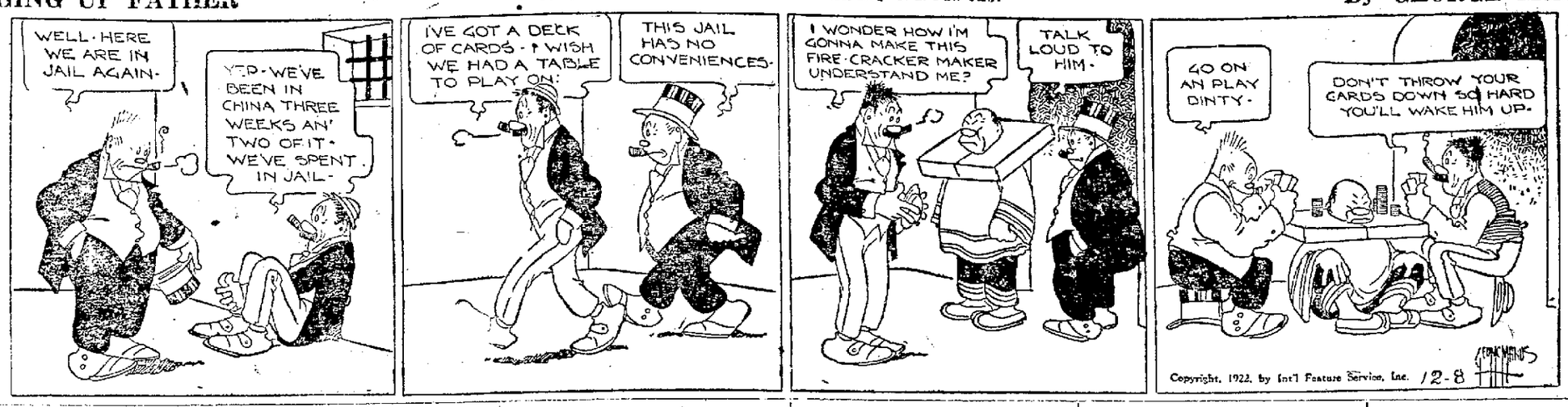

THE ORIGIN OF BILLIARDS

Billiards had its origin in an outdoor game called "paille maille," an old French pastime played like croquet. It was this game which gave its name to a famous London street—Pall Mall—which is built on the site of an alley where "paille maille" was played in the old days.

When the billiard table was invented is not known, but it is mentioned in a manuscript dated 1591. For many years the indoor game continued to be played on the same lines as "paille maille." The cues were curved like hockey sticks, and the balls, which were larger than those in use today, were made of wood.

Gradually the hoops of the original game were replaced by pockets and the table was reduced to its present size. The balls and cues were also altered as time went on, and for the last hundred years or so the game has retained the form with which we are familiar today.

Today's Sermonette

Happiness is not a passive state, but the joyous activity of the best and highest powers of the soul.—Boston Transcript.

No. 745—Men's Worsted Shaker Knit Pull-over with Collar. Very popular with girls. All solid colors including white, or with contrasting trim.

No. 610—Pinkerton Knitted Coat for men and boys. Good looking, warm without bulkiness and a wonder for wear. Choice of ten colors.

No. 860—Big, handsome, Sinker Knit Coat for ladies. Ideal for every outdoor purpose. White or any solid color. All sizes for women and girls.

No. 620—Pinkerton Knitted Coat for men and boys. A practical, good looking coat for work or play; outdoors or indoors. Choice of ten colors.

Style and Snap with Cold Weather Warmth

EVERYBODY is wearing them this season. Jersild tuxedo sweaters are so distinctive and stylish that every girl wants one. Just the thing for foot-ball games and all out-door wear. And as for quality—there isn't a finer sweater made. You will find careful tailoring and a wide variety of modish styles in just the color you wish.

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All Jersild knitted wear is made from pure long fibre wool, carefully woven by expert knitters and finely tailored in styles you'll like.

Ask your dealer to also show you the famous Pinkerton knitted coats for men and boys. There is something in the Jersild line to please all the family. Be sure you are getting Jersild. If your dealer hasn't these products, he can order them for you. See your dealer today.

Write for our New Sweater Style Book.
In writing please include your dealer's name.

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JERSILD SWEATERS

Annual December SALE

Never before have such wonderful bargains been offered and right in the heart of the *Christmas buying season.* Brand new merchandise, all at prices to clean up our stocks quickly. The crowds are here, realizing and buying the tremendous bargains, that are making this December Sale an event that will long be remembered.

NOTE SOME OF THE MONEY SAVING BARGAINS WE ARE QUOTING BELOW!

Ladies' and Misses'
COATS
At Give Away Prices.
Coats worth $35, December sale price **$21.50**
Coats worth $45, December sale price **$29.50**
Other coats reduced in proportion.

New Winter
SUITS
Are Being Sacrificed.
Suits worth $35.00, December sale price **$21.50**
Suits worth $40.00, December sale price **$24.50**
Other suits reduced in proportion.

Silk and Wool
Dresses
At Less Than Wholesale.
Dresses worth $25, December sale price **$16.90**
Dresses worth $35, December sale price **$21.50**
Other dresses reduced in proportion.

FINE SILK
WAISTS
At less than cost of their material alone.
Waists worth $5.00, December sale price **$2.68**
Waists worth $6.50, December sale price **$3.95**

New Pleated Wool
SKIRTS
Prices will sell them.
Skirts worth $5.00, December sale price **$3.39**
Skirts worth $8.00, December sale price **$5.90**

New Wool Slip-Over
Sweaters
at Prices Cut Deep.
Sweaters worth $2.75, December sale price .. **$1.98**
Sweaters worth $4.00, December sale price .. **$2.98**

BEACON
BATH ROBES
Make Ideal Christmas Gifts.
Bath Robes, worth $7.00, December sale price... **$4.90**
Bath Robes, worth $10, December sale price .. **$6.90**

Hosiery, Silk Underwear, Children's Apparel, etc.
All at Unheard of Low Prices During This Sale!

RESNECK-BERGER CO'S
Ladies' Shop
OPERATING A CHAIN OF STORES

329 PEARL STREET. *"ALWAYS KNOWN FOR BETTER VALUES."*

HAMILTON PARENTS ARE TOLD EDUCATION BEGINS AT CRADLE

William Kock Declares Children Should be Told of Real Giants, Greed, etc.

The citizens in the Hamilton school district have manifested a great deal of interest in their school this week. The December meeting of the Parent-Teacher association which met Monday evening, with the newly elected president, D. V. Lawell, presiding, was unusually well attended.

A chorus of junior high school pupils under the direction of Miss McConville, ably sang a number of songs after which they were joined in community singing by the assemblage. First grade pupils delighted the audience with a group of their cunning little songs. Edwin Bernet, on the violin, with Helen Kreutz accompanist on the piano, skillfully rendered "The Flower Song."

Superintendent William Kock of the Wisconsin Pearl Button factory, gave his views on "The Education of the Child at Home." He said this education should begin in the cradle. He illustrated the importance of the parents setting the right kind of an example for their children, especially in the matter of truthfulness. He laid considerable emphasis on the nature of reading and stories given to children. He believes that a child should become intimately acquainted with the giants of selfishness, obedience, truthfulness, courtesy, etc., real giants one meets in life, instead of the giants of the usual fairy tales.

A portion of the pageant entitled "American Education," to be given by pupils of the junior high school Friday afternoon was given at this meeting.

During the social hour which followed the program the refreshment committee, with Mrs. William B. Euler as chairman, served coffee and cake.

A neat sum of money was again added to the picture fund started by the association at its last meeting.

Attorney Rudolph Schlabach talked to pupils of the upper grades of the school Wednesday afternoon upon the subject "The Flag."

Parents have not only attended the special features at the school but many have visited the regular work of the pupils during the year.

Romans Had Roquefort

Pliny says that the Romans, more than 2000 years ago, imported Roquefort cheese from France to add flavor to their banquets.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS

A Summary of the News

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Consolidation of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets into the "United States fleet," with Admiral H. P. Jones in command, was announced by the navy department.

DENVER, Col.—Ralph G. Moses, one of the organizers of the American Federation of Labor, died.

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Mrs. Madalynne C. Obenchain of Evanston, Ill., recently released from jail, is suffering from a nervous breakdown, it was said.

NEW YORK.—Railroad car loadings in September, October and November broke all records with a total of 12,465,136 cars, it was announced.

MADRID.—The government intends to dissolve the cortes, the Spanish parliament, it was announced.

Iron or magnetic sand found in abundance in New Zealand, produces a fine grade of iron.

Reptile Fossils Excavated

Fossil specimens of huge reptiles that inhabited the shores of an inland sea, where the Rockies now stand, have been excavated in Dinosaur mountain, near Denver.

Sale on Alarm Clocks

500 Clocks, at each 98c, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50.

Special prices, plain and luminous dials.

INGERSOLL and POCKET BEN

100 Watches, special price at $1.25

HELLFACH, Jeweler

We sell for less.

Never Disappointed in **Quality and Style** if it is the **La Crosse Hat**

Values As Fine As the Style

Footwear that is specially made for us by foremost manufacturers — representing the supreme accomplishment in modern shoe making. Novelty styles in satin, brocade, suede and patent leathers, from

Six to Eight Dollars

Drop in here and find out what service of the guaranteed sort means. You can't buy an unsatisfactory shoe here.

Regal Shoe Store

Rose and St. Cloud Sts. *Open Evenings until 8.*

DOERFLINGER'S

She Will Enjoy a Hat for Christmas

WHAT COULD BE MORE APPROPRIATE?

Just the time of year when she will enjoy a change in her millinery, for she can never possess too many Hats.

We have a lovely new assortment of turbans trimmed with flowers, the smart little droop shapes that are becoming to everyone. In silks and satins in various pretty colors, also in black.

Very moderately priced.

La Crosse's Biggest, Best and Busiest Millinery Dept. We feature L. R. Brown Hats made in St. Paul.

Doerflinger's Second Floor.

Fresh Home-made Fudge, Saturday at per ounce— **1c**

Old Time Chocolates, bulk, at per pound— **35c**

Crackerjack and Chums, Saturday at per box— **4c**

DOERFLINGER'S

5-pound Holly Box of Assorted Hard Candies, at— **$1.49**

5-pound Holly Box of Christmas Candy and Chocolates, at **$1.98**

Christmas Suggestions From the Yard Fabric Section

36-inch COSTUME CORDUROY VELVETS, per yard **$1.25**
In demand for Kimono and Lounging Robes. Shown in the wanted shades.

36-inch SILK FINISH COSTUME VELVETEENS, per yard **$2.98**
Colors are black, navy blue and brown; soft chiffon finish; fast colors.

36-inch COTTON PAJAMA CHECKS, at per yard **35c**
Fine neat check styles in colors of white and flesh; launders perfectly.

40-inch PRINTED ARABIAN SILKS, yard..... **$2.50** to **$4.50**
The smartest silks for trimming uses; shown in many color combinations.

18-inch BROCADED TINSEL CLOTH, at per yard **$3.50**
The non-crush kind; popular for hat trimmings and vestees, all new styles.

30-inch MATELASSE EMBROIDERED SATINS, specially priced at per yard ..... **$2.98** and **$3.50**
The newest creation in silks for waists and blouses; five attractive patterns.

54-inch BLACK IMPORTED COTTON LINING, per yard **98c**
The practical lining for coats and ulsters; fast black; very special value.

54-inch ALL WOOL NOVELTY PLAID SKIRTINGS, per yard **$2.48**
One length makes a skirt; attractive plaid styles; amazing value.

BUY PEOPLE'S HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS.
Ready-to-wear styles. With every 25c pattern of this brand you get a quarterly style book free. Ask the saleslady at the pattern counter about it.

Our Christmas Sale of Women's Dresses Continues

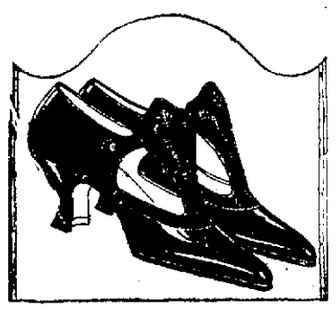
$9.95

Again we proved that this is the place for the thrifty women to buy their dresses to best advantage. Wednesday we placed on sale several hundred dresses at this low price. We continue this sale for Saturday. They are all new stylish models—dresses made of

Poiret Twills, Serges, Tricotines, Wool Jersey, Canton Crepe

Sizes for women and misses, 16 to 44, draped models, panel effects, straight line models, etc. Street and business dresses—an amazing assortment and wonderful values. On sale Saturday at **$9.95.**

We also have a wonderful selection of Dresses including all sizes up to 56 bust, in twills, cantons, etc., priced at ..... **$14.95, $19.50, $29.50** and **$39.50**



Could You Think of a Better Gift Than Shoes

Just received a shipment of black SUEDE COLONIAL PUMPS, covered French heel and hand-turn sole. A very smart dress pump. We also have this same style in black and brown satin and patent leather.

Why Not a Pair of La Crosse Made Boys' Shoes As a Christmas Gift

Any boy that likes a good substantial shoe for skating and outdoor wear will get a world of satisfaction from La Crosse Made Shoes. In black and brown gun metal with sewed soles and rubber heels. Sizes up to 5½, at per pair **$3.85**

Larger sizes 50c extra.

Headquarters for Giblin's Sheepskin Moccasins, priced at $1.75, $1.50 and $1.25 a pair

Comfort Felt Slippers with and without leather soles, all sizes and colors, per pair **$1.00**

Our Corset Department has

A Wonderful Line of the Most Beautiful Camisoles

Brassieres, Bust Confiners, in lace and satin or all lace.

Our display of round garters is exceptionally pleasing and varied.

We have nice Underwaists for Children, at **59c**

Also Velvet Grip Hose Supporters—Nothing better than Velvet Grip.

Turkish Towels

Large size heavy quality Turkish Towels, well terried, nicely finished, all double thread. These towels come in assorted colors or plain white, each at— **50c**

Linen Section, Main Floor

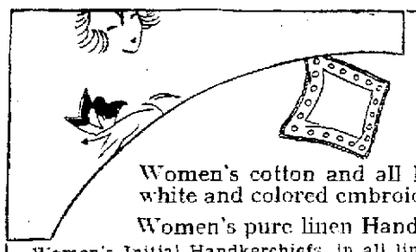
Bed Spreads

Bleached Bed Spreads, 70x80-inch size, good heavy quality, woven from long selected cotton yarn, good assortment of patterns to select from. Special Saturday each— **$1.69**

Linen Section, Main Floor

Unbleached Muslin

36-in. Unbleached Muslin, good weight, even weave, good close construction, a cloth that will wash and wear, special for Saturday only, yard— **12½c**



Xmas Handkerchiefs

Women's Cotton Handkerchiefs, hemstitched borders, at— 5c, 10c, 15c and up

Women's cotton and all linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, white and colored embroidered corners, at .....5c to 98c

Women's pure linen Handkerchiefs, at....25c, 35c and 40c

Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, in all linen and cotton, at— 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 40c

Women's boxed Handkerchiefs, two and three in box, big variety— 50c, 75c and 98c

Men's white cotton Handkerchiefs, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c

Men's cotton and all linen Initial Handkerchiefs, at.....15c, 35c and 50c

Children's boxed Handkerchiefs, two and three in a box, at.....25c and 35c

FLORIDA ORANGES, not very large, but sweet and juicy, Saturday each **1¾c**

LIMIT ONE DOZEN.

Things Electrical For Christmas

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS

In strings of 5, 10 and 15 lights, ranging in price from— **$1.25** up to **$4.98**

Japanese Lantern Lights, animal assorted string of lights, all at popular prices.

Reduced prices on all Electrical Appliances.

Come in and see the Electrical Toy Train.

We have a few Boudoir Lamps left and well sell them at each **$3.98**

Electrical Dept.—Basement.

WHAT TO GIVE HIM

THE ANSWER IS HERE IN THE MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Gifts that are useful 365 days in the year.

MEN'S NECKWEAR

We have every design and color combination. Come in and select your Christmas Neckwear while the selection is largest. And the price—well there is just the cravat you want priced from ..... **50c** to **$1.50**

Holly Boxes Free.

MEN'S SHIRTS

As usual we have the unusual. All the new patterns with or without collars to match; neat stripes, fancy checks in all materials, cotton and silk. from ..... **$1.00** to **$7.50**

BATH ROBES

Beautiful colors and designs, made to be used as lounging robes, from..... **$5.00** to **$12.00**

SMOKING JACKETS AT $7.50

These are just a few of the many beautiful gifts we have on display. Each and every article we sell will be put in a holly box absolutely free. Come in and make your selection. Make a small deposit and we will hold the article until Christmas.

BOYS' TIES

A wonderful assortment of new Ties for the Christmas season in the new styles and patterns of all silk, priced at ..... **50c, 75c** and **$1.00**

BOYS' BELTS

Made of genuine leather, hand bordered, buckle to match, sizes 26, 28, 30 and 32 lengths, priced at..... **50c** and **75c**

Shirts and Blouses of madras, percales and flannel; Pajamas, Suspenders, Belts and Buckles. Silk Neckties, Hats, Caps, Toques, Sweaters, Suits and Overcoats. Wash Suits and Oliver Twist Suits of Serge and Wool Jersey.

BROAD PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT ANNOUNCED BY STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

MADISON, Wis.—By the Associated Press.—A comprehensive educational program, the adoption of which it believes will lead to the upbuilding of Wisconsin's public school system, was announced Friday by the state board of education, of which the state superintendent of public instruction is a member.

This program, backed by the present leaders of the state educational system, will be formulated into bills and brought before the legislature for enactment into law. Its principal features include the following:

Creation of a public education fund from the surplus left in the educational bonus fund, to be supplemented by returns from the annual inheritance tax amounting to approximately $1,000,000 each year.

Establishment of junior colleges in the principal cities of the state to relieve the university of its first two years of college training, and afford better opportunities for higher education.

Consolidate Rural Schools

Consolidation of rural schools, limiting one room school houses to instruction of only the first six grades and building up high school districts in the country.

Revision of state aids to equalize the burden of local taxation for educational purposes, and to guarantee facilities for the education of every child in the state.

Representation of agriculture and labor on educational boards.

Creation of county school boards elected by the people, with broad powers over rural education.

Elimination of college courses in normal schools to limit their activities to teacher training.

Speaking of the public education fund, E. A. Fitzpatrick, secretary of the board, said that "it would be wise public policy to place the statutory seven tenths mill tax in whole or in part in the public educational fund at the earliest time in order that it may be distributed to the local communities on a basis that would take into account both the size of the educational problem and the ability of the communities to finance it." The initial capital, he said, could come from the surplus from the soldier bonus fund to be supplemented each year by the inheritance taxes. This feature in 1921 received the support of Governor Blaine.

Would Drop College Courses

The decision of the state board of normal school regents to abolish college courses in normal schools leads the state board of education to again urge establishment of junior colleges as a means of meeting the higher educational needs of the state.

"In order to bring to the small school the highest professional service and the best educational equipment, it is essential that there be consolidation of small schools," the board says in its program. "Efforts should be continued to bring about consolidation of schools, and efforts should then be made to build up junior high school and general high school districts in the country.

"There should be a radical organization of the whole state aid for education. The present plan—if anything so chaotic may be called a plan—is the result of the accumulation of years. State aid should be to equalize the burden of local taxation, to guarantee each child an education, to stimulate educational experimentation, and to secure the earlier adoption of the better enforcement of desirable educational policies."

Labor and Farmers on Board

Representation of labor and agriculture on educational boards is being brought about by Governor Blaine through his appointments, but the state board of education's program calls for legislation to require this representation.

The board says that "a reorganization of rural education to meet the present educational situation will include an elective school board of three or five members charged with general supervision of all schools in the county outside of cities, the board to select an expert educational officer commonly known as the county superintendent of schools, to be its educational adviser and executive officer."

Reorganization of the administration of city schools is proposed in order to give the city boards of education taxing power to meet the normal needs of city schools.

This program of education calls for specific laws which will be asked of the 1923 legislature when it meets in January. Support of the administrative branches of Wisconsin's educational system will go to the measures when they are introduced.

There is a shortage of laborers in France.

A Misapplied Term

"A man who was inveighing against the capitalistic press in a restaurant the other day got what was coming to him."

"Well?"

"A reporter who was standing off a kind-hearted Greek for a doughnut and a cup of coffee rose up and smote him on the jaw."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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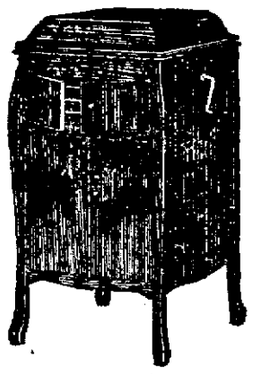

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COATS that show the new fashion ideas women are looking for. Novelty sleeve effects, embroidered Panels, Silk Braid Trimmings. Great wrappy models and tailored styles.

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Beautiful fur collars and some with fur cuffs.

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Values up to $45—Special Sale Prices

$19.50 *and* $24.50

MATERIALS: *Satin Faced Canton, Spanish Lace, Flat Crepe, Velvet, Crepe Romaine, Poiret Twill and Wool Crepe*

STYLES: *Include Circular Skirts, Drapes, Flowing Panels, Loose Sleeves, Bead Trimmings, Coat Effects, Straight Line Models*

In this lot of Dresses we are showing samples of new spring styles; be sure and see them. A deposit will hold your garment until wanted.

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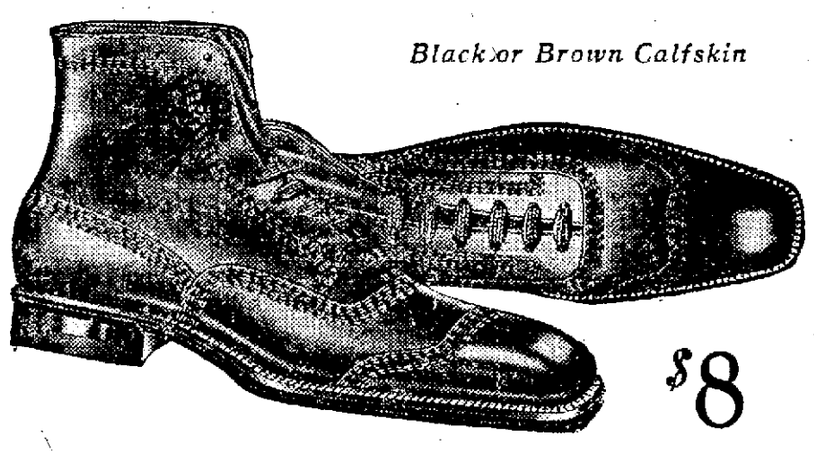

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TWO MILLION CUT IN SCHOOL BUDGET IS URGED BY BOARD

Request for Funds Expected to be Further Cut by State Board of Affairs

NORMAL REQUEST IS REDUCED BUT EXCEEDS LAST BIENNIUM

Eliminate University Plea for Funds for Dormitories

MADISON, Wis.—Budget requests of state educational institutions and departments totalling $20,000,000 were before the state board of public affairs for consideration in executive session today. They had the report of the state board of education cutting the requests nearly $2,000,000, and are expected to make further reductions before submitting their recommendations to the legislature.

The state niversity, had asked an appropriation of $12,000,000 for the biennium, including revolving funds and fees of over $4,000,000. This was cut by the state board of education to allow for operation the same amount as provided by the last legislature.

Except for the elimination of dormitories requested at an expense of $600,000 the board of education recommended that the university get appropriations of $800,000 for land and buildings. This includes a $300,000 improvement to Bascom Hall, extensions to the chemistry building and improvement of the Law building.

A request of Stout Institute for $300,000 to construct dormitories was also refused by the board of education, which recommended that private capital be interested at both the university and the institute in the construction of housing facilities for students.

Normal school requests totalling $5,000,000 for the biennium were cut by the board of education to $4,000,000. This is still an increase of over $1,000,000 for the biennium compared to the appropriations of the last legislature. It does not include additional funds for four year courses recently initiated in the Wisconsin teacher training institutions.

Stout Institute is to be allowed $500,000 for the biennium, if the recommendations of the state board of education are accepted. Their appropriation for the past biennium was $350,000. The Platteville school of mines had an appropriation of $95,000 recommended for the two year period.

WINNIPEG AND ST. JOHN'S ON BADGER ROWING CARD

MADISON, Wis.—Winnipeg university, Canada, and St. John's Military academy are on the Wisconsin rowing card for 1923, the athletic department announced today.

Earthquake waves may originate 1,000 miles beneath the earth's surface, scientists say.

JOE LYNCH WINS SANGOR DIVISION

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Joe Lynch, champion bantamweight, won a decision over Joey Sangor, Milwaukee. Sangor is a featherweight.

A toad is not poisonous.

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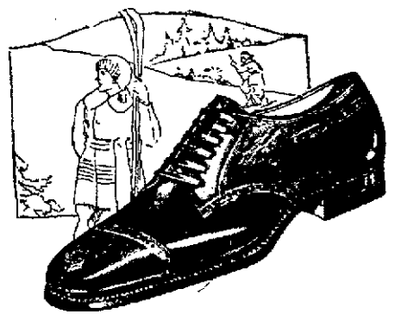

The "Colonel" at $7.50

We are now showing several new styles in Young Men's Winter Low Shoes. The one pictured above, the new "Colonel", comes in both claret and black calfskin. The sole is overweight for winter wear and carries the new oval-edge. It is a winner for the young man who wants the very latest in Winter Oxfords.

A year ago we were selling this quality at $9.50. You can buy it now at the new low price of $7.50. The war is over.

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4 Pairs for $1.50.

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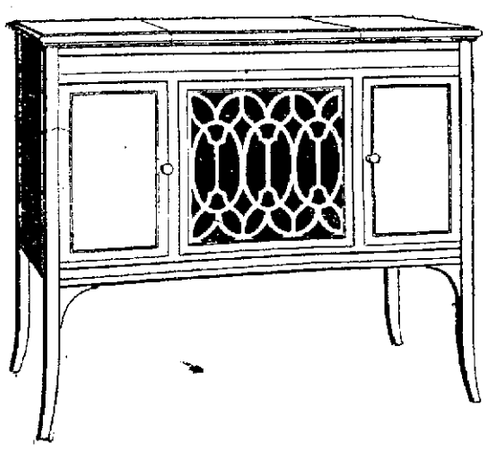
Just the Right Gift for Music-Lovers

The New EDISON Baby Console



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Made to retail at $50 to $65

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CONTINUED mild weather throughout the months of October and November greatly retarded the sale of Coats, Capes and Wraps. As the thermometer went up—and stayed up—manufacturers' prices came down. This condition enables us to get choice coats much below their actual cost, and we are passing this great saving on to you TOMORROW. With all the winter still ahead of us, a sale of this sort should not be overlooked. If you are looking for a choice coat that is different at a SAVING from ONE THIRD to ONE HALF, be here early Saturday for first selection.

This splendid assortment includes Coats for the High School and College Miss—the Woman of regular proportions—the Extra Large and Hard-to-Fit Type. There are Coats in plain, straight lines—Wrappy Styles—Blouse Coats—and Jacquettes. Trimmed with silk fringe—tassels—embroidery—braid—metal ornaments—fur and self material.

And EVERY COAT IS GORGEOUSLY SILK LINED.

The Fabrics are:

Delsia, Brytonia, Nouvella, Normandy, Evora, Panvelaine, Ormandale, Veldyne, Arabella and Bolivia, and many models in Plush.

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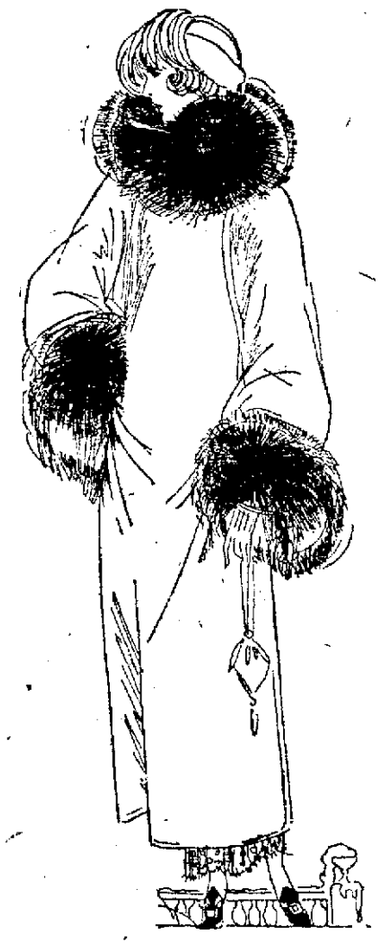
in wool and silk materials, many styles, all colors and sizes. Dresses of this character seldom sell for less than $16.50 to $25.00.



Rich Fur Trimmings:

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Fur Coats

of Seal, Northern Raccoon, Marmot, Australian Opossum, Muskrat, Russian Pony and Tiger Cat. All richly lined, some with contrasting fur collars and cuffs; in lengths from 34 to 45 inches.

AT REGULAR JANUARY PRICES.

Wool Skirts $5

Only 76 pleated striped wool Skirts in navy, black and brown; all sizes, 25 to 32 waists.

FOND DU LAC MAN AND WIFE DIE IN FREAK ACCIDENT

Husband Dies in Same Manner While Demonstrating How Wife Was Electrocuted

FOND DU LAC, Wis.—George Kohls, 38, and his wife Bertha, 35, were electrocuted in their home last night, both dying before resuscitation could be brought into play.

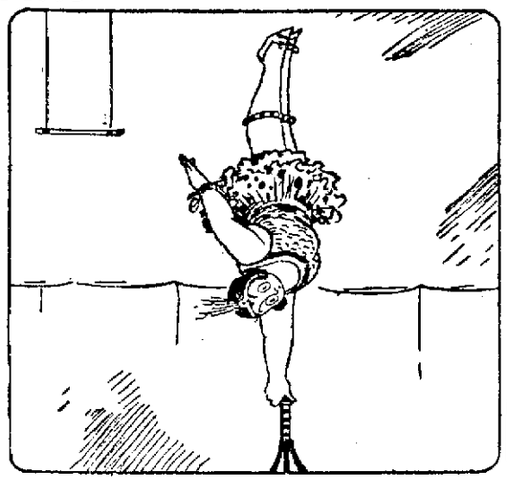
Mrs. Kohls took an incandescent light in her hand which was attached to an extension cord. She stepped into the attic for the purpose of locating a rat. As she stepped on the register in the floor she screamed from an electric shock and died within ten minutes.

Her husband telephoned for an undertaker. W. N. Candish, who is county coroner, responded and being anxious to know how the accident happened, asked the husband to show him. Mr. Kohls took the wire which his wife had handled and stepped into the attic, going through the actions of his wife as he stepped on the register. He fell over dead. Examination of the wire showed that the insulation had worn off and that in stepping on the register the husband and wife had effected a circuit which snapped out their lives. They leave two children, a boy, Orville, 8, and a girl, Verna, 12.

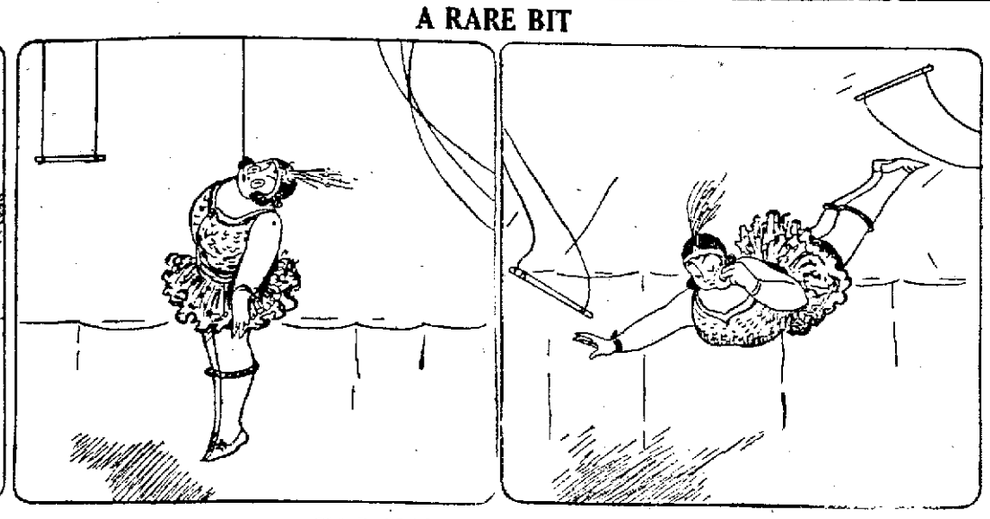
SLEEPY BURGLAR IS TAKEN BY POLICE

WATERTOWN, Wis. — Michael Sanko, of Yelkis, N. Y., broke into a warehouse here, set the alarm clock so that he would wake at three and went to sleep, but the alarm failed to rouse him. Discovered, he was arrested and sent to jail at Jefferson to wait trial on the charge of burglary. Bail was set at $500. Police believe he has a record of jail sentences.

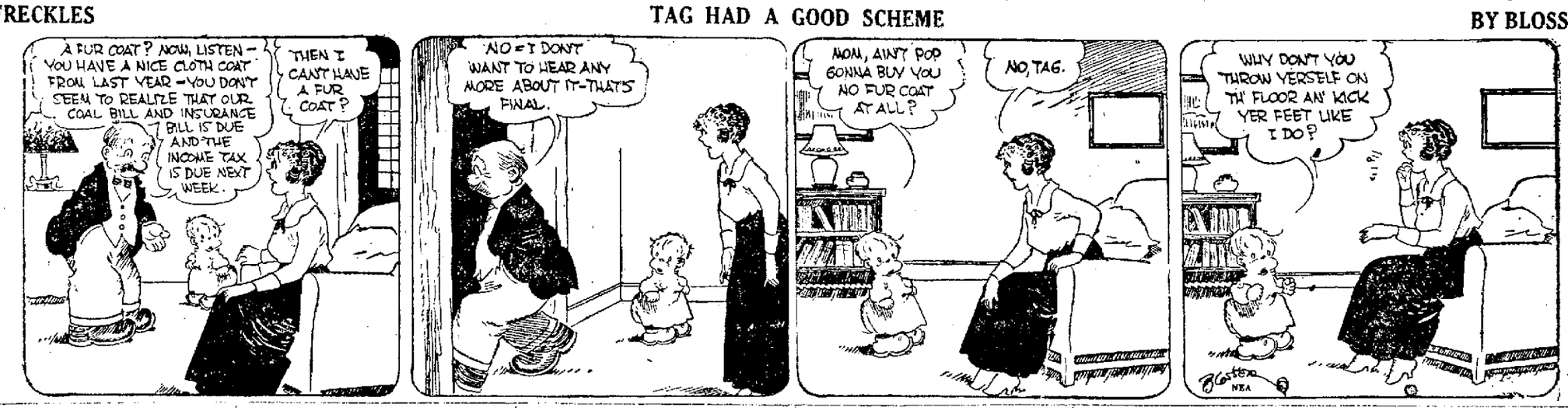
THE DUFFS



A RARE BIT BY ALLMAN



FRECKLES TAG HAD A GOOD SCHEME BY BLOSSER



Society

BRIDGE IS POPULAR DIVERSION DURING THE PRESENT WEEK

THE LAST of a most delightful series of card parties was given Thursday afternoon by the Pioneer Card Club at Pioneer Hall. One hundred and fifty guests were in attendance, thirty-five tables being played, including bridge and five hundred. This is the last one of the series. The decorations were in token of the Christmas season and were very attractive.

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MR. F. H. OLDS and Mrs. Margaret Gates announce their marriage which took place Friday, December first. Mr. and Mrs. Olds will be at home at 1028 Redfield street after January first.

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MRS. NELLIE Thurston of Jamestown, N. D., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Warren Smith, and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurston, 908 South Sixth street.

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THE MEMBERS of the La Crosse Woman's club enjoyed a social afternoon on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Frank Allen, 1114 South Seventh street. Mrs. B. S. Steadwell was the leader of the afternoon and presented an instructive and entertaining program.

Miss Prudence Cutright, supervisor of grades of the public schools, gave an outline of the work done during national education week, speaking at length on "Illiteracy in the United States." She said that statistics show that six percent of the population are illiterate and pointed out the need for higher education that the nation may insure democracy. L. L. Thomas, professor at the High school, gave an able discourse on amendments as applied to parliamentary law. The clear and concise manner in which he handled the subject delighted the club women in a gratifying manner.

Mrs. Frank Bersinger and Mrs. Lars Instenes sang "Somewhere A Voice Is Calling." Distribution of tickets for a movie to be given under the auspices of the club was made. The hostesses were Mesdames Frank Allen, Lars Instenes, Gust Sexauer, G. W. Lueck, Martha Matthews, George Osterlout, Frank Pope, C. J. Snyder and Isewood Widrick and the Misses Myra Kimball and Viola Nohr.

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THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the Ladies Circle of St. Paul's Universalist church was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. F. Robinson, 611 Ferry street. Among other items of business, the ladies reported $22.50 made at the recent food sale. They also voted to assume the expense of music for the regular church services, to carry the expense of the Christmas house-party and tree for the Sunday school and to hold a get-together supper and social in January and February. After the business session a delicious picnic supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ella Roberts and Mrs. O. A. Hunt.

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MRS. EMMA Olberg, Mrs. Homer Hart and Mrs. Arthur F. Tauscher were hostesses at bridge on Thursday afternoon. The favors for high scores were given to Mrs. Arthur Schwalbe and Mrs. Sigurd Gunderson.

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MRS. H. H. LONG and Mrs. F. A. Grover entertained eight tables at bridge Thursday afternoon when the favors went to Miss Lena Gelart and Mrs. Leonard Zeisler.

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MRS. CHARLOTTE Bauer and Mrs. Emil Mueller were awarded the favors at a bridge party given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Fred Dittman. Three tables were played.

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MR. AND MRS. William Fiedler and Mrs. Henry Coleman, mother of the latter, have returned from a motor trip to the Twin Cities, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson, formerly of this city.

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IN HONOR of Miss Barbara Cooper a party was given at the home of Mrs. A. Weidemann, 1209 Vine street. Dancing and games furnished the diversion. The guests were the Misses Irene Gerke, Rachael Schubert, Helen Precha, Gladys Peik, Julia Jiracek, Barbara Cooper, Sylvia Hall, Ruth Molzahn, May Jones, Myrtle Martel, and Theresa and Lena Weidmann, and Messrs. Harold Schubert, Leonard Puent, Walton Jones, Theodore Wiedemann, Vernon Harvey, Roscoe Patterson, Harold and George Hall, Thor Harvey, Leroy Bliss, Julius Roth, Wallace Wodzynski and Russell Franklin.

AUCTION SALE

Our entire line of Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelery, and Silverware, will be on sale at auction to the highest bidder. Opening sale Saturday evening Dec. 9th. Sale to continue until line is sold out. Wright and Son, 819 Rose St. Jewelers. G. T. Hagenbaugh, Auctioneer. Advertisement.

Public Debate

THE CHICKEN SHOW

Editor of the Tribune.

Dear Sir: There are two sides to every question. One side of the chicken show case was carried in the Tribune on Tuesday, December 4th, criticizing the Chamber of Commerce for not helping the poultry fanciers.

The Chamber of Commerce has not been approached or asked to do any thing for the poultry show this year. If the contributor of this article had asked the Chamber for something, the poultry show would have received unlimited support and co-operation from the Chamber.

When the national poultry show decided to meet in Milwaukee they approached the Association of Commerce and asked for their support and co-operation. Naturally, the Association of Commerce got behind it and helped it in every way possible. Had the local poultry show made a similar request of the La Crosse organization, the Chamber of Commerce would have given them the same support.

In the Chamber of Commerce of La Crosse there is an Agricultural bureau that is organized and maintained expressly for the purpose of co-operating and working with the farmers and farmers' organizations in carrying out their ideas. Only last week officials of the La Crosse County Holstein Breeders' association approached the bureau and asked for entertainment for their annual meeting which will be held here next Tuesday. The result is that the Chamber of Commerce is not only providing them a meeting place but is also giving a dinner to the Holstein men. There are numerous other things that the Agricultural bureau has done to assist the farmers and their organizations and it will continue to do so as long as these organizations ask the Agricultural bureau for assistance and co-operation.

I suggest that when the poultry show commences to plan for the next event that they get in touch with the Agricultural bureau of the Chamber, and I can assure them that co-operation will be given. R. W. HOLCOMBE, Manager.

Why Students Leave College

Of the students who leave college before obtaining their degree, one-half is due to delinquency in their work. Of the remainder more than one-third leave for financial reasons. Health, marriage and deaths were the other reasons.

There is no word in the Chinese language that conveys an intimation of what we term public spirit, nor is there any synonym for patriotism.—Austin Daily Herald.

Local News

Dance Yeomen hall Sat., Sun. Return engagement Gabel's all Star orchestra. Hear World' best Saxophone, Bill Johnson of Tampa Florida. T. Williams, tenor singer, New York.

R. Kreutz Orchestra. Call 2227-A.

Let Mary Miller solve that perplexing gift problem. Doerflinger Gift shop, 3rd floor.

Luncheon sets, hand pillow cases, dolls, doll clothes, aprons, children's bags. Bugs. Presbyterian church Sat.

Beautiful Christmas tree lights at Linker Electric Co.

Dance at Blumer's Mill Sat. Dec. 9. "Frisco" Syncopators.

Don't forget the big fur sale of Coats, Capes and wraps of all kinds at Lutz's Fur Store, Mon. Dec. 11.

Try MacLaren's Pimento, Nippy, Limburger and Swiss Cream Cheese, 15c pkgs. at all grocers.

Applications for marriage licenses have been made at Winona by Alfred Amundson and Martha J. Nelson and John Willinger and Esther Adelia Uhl, all of Galesville.

8-day Mahogany Mantle Clock strikes hour and half hour, regular $15.75 clock at $10.50, at Hellfach Jeweler.

Home baking at Presbyterian church, Sat.

Plumbing as it should be done. W. F. Schram. Phone 46.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Rivoli Bg.

Roller Skating. Kabat's hall Sat. night.

Chiropractors. Rishmillers, Palmer graduates, 410 Linker Bldg.

Dance at Concordia hall Sat., Dec. 9. Music by Dean Root's 7 piece orchestra. Given by the Novelty Dancing Club.

Orrin Fletcher of Bangor, was in the city Thursday.

50 dozen Iridescent Goblets, Sherbet, Wine and Parfet Glasses at $3.75 for 1-2 dozen at Hellfach, Jeweler.

Wait for Lutz's Big Fur Sale Mon. Dec. 11.

Osteopathy. Dr. Jorris Newburg Bg.

Call Ed. Jaekel for your electrical work. 2305-A.

Order Xmas Greetings. The Inland.

Just received the newest patterns in neckwear, 75c to $2.00 in Christmas Boxes. Viets Tailor Shop, Opposite Majestic Theater.

See the Hamilton Beach Vacuum Sweeper demonstrated. Free. Phone 444. Rivoli Elec. shop.

We are open Saturday evenings. Linker Electric Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stelle of Rockland were in La Crosse on Thursday.

Order Xmas Greetings. The Inland.

Columbia Records Weis Book Store.

E. Joy McLaughlin, Chiropractor. Over Hebberd's Drug Store.

A Christmas bazaar will open at the First Presbyterian church Saturday morning at 10:30. Supper will be served from 5:30 on.

50 dozen Cut Glass Goblets and Sherbet glasses 6 for $3.00 at Hellfach, Jeweler.

For Sale Block. Wood $8 per load. Any amount of it. Phone 349.

Want $20,000 in amounts of $1000 to $3000 to loan on La Crosse Real estate. B. H. Volz.

"Xmas" Cards Weis' Book Store.

Mon. Dec. 11 will be the big day for furs at Lutz's.

See the crib quilts, bibs and rompers at Presbyterian Bazaar.

This will be the last sale of the season of fur coats, capes, and wraps, Mon. Dec. 11. Lutz's Fur Store.

The first bobsled appeared on the downtown streets Friday morning and sailed along smoothly over an icy pavement.

For Saturday. Good quality underwear at prices that will please you. A. H. Voss, 7th. and Farnam.

Bazaar: Aprons, fancy work, food and candy for sale at Congregational church Saturday. Luncheon from 11:30 to 1 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Buster Browns Stockings are made to wear and they do. Sold at Poehling's, 313 Pearl.

Have the Hamilton Beach Vacuum Sweeper demonstrated before buying. Phone 444. Rivoli Elec. shop.

Collections, Insurance, Loans. L. B. Omerberg, Rivoli Bldg.

R. O. Hegge has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $2247 and assets of $414.

Christmas tree lighting outfits. 8 light string with Mazda lamps $2.00. 16 lights $4. J. F. Papenfuss, Electrical Contractor. 2240-A.

Take your Xmas Hemstitching to the Tri State Pleating Shop for quick, satisfactory service.

U. C. T. and their families. Supper at R. O. O. F. Hall, Sat. 6 p. m. 50c.

Magazine subscriptions make excellent gifts. Levy's 605 Main.

Henry Loeth is in Sparta on a surveying trip.

Learn to make Lamp Shades. Lessons free. Doerflinger's Gift Shop, 3rd floor.

Silk shirts are always welcome gifts. We have a large assortment. Viets Tailor Shop, Opposite Majestic Theater.

Holly and mistletoe for sale at 1833 George street. Phone 1937-M.

The Salvation Army will again be on the balcony at Doerflinger's to serve lunches all day Saturday. Home baking with sandwiches and coffee. The coffee to be served has been donated by the Nustad Coffee company. Music in the afternoon by the La Crosse Harmony Girls.

Try MacLaren's Pimento, Nippy, Limburger, and Swiss Cream Cheese, 15c pkgs. at all grocers.

Hans Dahlen and his son, Alfred, of Coon Valley, transacted business in La Crosse on Friday.

Try Hoeschlers First.

Arrange with the Gateway City Transfer Co. for baggage, freight and heavy hauling. No evening service.

Galesville's evening mail service between Galesville and Trempealeau by Star Route will be established December 11. The carrier will be Ed Gardner. This contract runs to June 30, 1923, and provides for one trip each week day, connecting with the evening mail line train at Trempealeau.

INTEREST KEEPS UP IN MEETINGS AT SALZER CHURCH

The sleet, snow and slippery walks Thursday night did not diminish the interest in the feast at the Salzer Memorial church, when Rev. William Brueckner spoke on "Unmarred Fellowship" choosing for his text 1. Job 11: 9. "If we confess our sins he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

Rev. Brueckner will preach tonight on "Jesus Christ the only sufficient Savior."

He will remain in the city over Sunday and preach at both services in the morning and evening.

It Can Be Done

To open a tountain pen or remove from a jar a cap that sticks, wind a rubber band tightly about the part you wish to unscrew. This affords a good grip and enables you to twist easily what seemed immovable before.—Galesville Republican.

Phosgene, a poison gas used in the world war, is turned into perfume by a synthecated process.

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Children's Handkerchiefs, in boxes, three in box, at per box 25c and 50c
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Ladies' all linen embroidered Handkerchiefs, plain white and novelty colored styles, values to 35c, at each 25c
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One lot of Ladies' beautiful embroidered Handkerchiefs, salesmen's samples, every new color and novelty styles in this lot, values to 25c, at 6 for 75c
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Give Kayser Italian Silk Underwear and Hosiery.
Ivory finish Toilet Articles, large assortment at special prices, at— 50c, $1, $1.50
Ladies' and Men's Silk Hose, Best-Knit make, at per pair $1.00
Ladies' Ribbed Top Silk Lisle "Best Knit" Hose, irregulars of $1.00 quality, at 2 pair for 75c
Ladies' Heather Wool Hose, at a pair 85c

MRS. KADING NAMED HEAD OF STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Member from Watertown First Woman in State to be Given Responsible Position

MADISON, Wis.—Mrs. Charles A. Kading, Watertown, was elected this week to head the Wisconsin Civil Service Commission. She is the first woman to head any important commission in the state, being appointed as a member of the commission by Gov. Blaine over a year ago.

For ten years Mrs. Kading was court commissioner for Dodge county as one of the two women ever to hold such a position in this state. For twenty years she has been a practising attorney being in partnership with her husband under the firm name of Kading and Kading.

Her son, Charles, is a freshman at the University this year enjoying the distinction of being one of the youngest students to ever enter the state institution. He is just 15 and is now taking the general course preparatory to later entering law. He is a member of the Chi Phi fraternity.

MAJESTIC THEATER IS DRAWING CROWDS TO SEE NEW PLAY

Inclement weather failed to keep hundreds of La Crosse people from going to the Majestic theatre last night to see "Oh Doctor" because they have seen enough of Hal Kiter and his versatile company to know that his show would be worth braving the bad weather to see. Was it? Just ask any of those who saw the comedy last night.

"Oh Doctor" is a series of jokes from beginning to end. The plot is based on a mixup which occurs in the Gar... household when a baby and a piano are hidden in the same room and members of the household inadvertently get them mixed.

The vaudeville numbers brought in during the comedy are especially good. Pearl Stevens and chorus sing "Nobody Lied." Phil and Peggy Hart put over their dancing specialty in a clever way. The Honeymoon Land Finale presented by Gilman, Stevens, Batie and Mack received an enthusiastic encore.

The California Bathing Beach Revue presented after the main show was well liked by the audience. In this feature members of the chorus appear individually in what might be called a style show, in which the latest thing in bathing suits is shown.

HELPFUL HINTS TO GROWING AUTHORS

Do not despair if at first you meet with failure. Remember that there is no royal road to literature. Here are some facts that will serve to hearten you in your work:

Bernard Shaw had to wait six weeks before he made his first thousand pound.

Before Rudyard Kiplin bought his first steam yacht, he was paid only eighty cents a word for his stories.

"It took me two whole years," said Frank A. Munsey, "before I could save up enough money to buy a paper that would print my stuff."

"I had to wait for nearly four weeks," said Booth Tarkington, "before the first ten thousand dollars for one of my short stories was sent to me. Fortunately we were well supplied with canned vegetables."

Mary Roberts Rinehart at first refused to speak of her early struggles, while the tears coursed down her cheeks. All that she could murmur was: "It's the first fifty thousand that's the hardest."—Life.

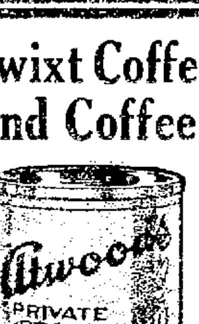
Three Tables in One

An Englishman has invented a table with a zigzag cut across the top that enables it to be used in either a square or long and narrow form.—Non-Pareil Journal.

Americans Leave Mexico

It would seem that the Americans are getting out of Mexico. There is said to be only 8,000 Americans at present in that country, whereas in 1910 there were more than 25,000.

'Twixt Coffee and Coffee



EACH day brings new lips to the "Atwood Coffee" cup. It is the big difference between Atwood's ever-fresh, full-flavored quality, and ordinary coffee, that invites.

Atwood's

For Mine Everytime

Tested and Approved Good Housekeeping

NATIONAL WEALTH AND SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Have expenditures for public schools increased more rapidly than the wealth of the country?

No, declares Dr. Edwin R. A. Seligman, professor of political economy, Columbia university. He says: "While it is true that the educational budget has increased more rapidly than the population, it is not true that it has increased more rapidly than the wealth of the community. On the contrary, it may be affirmed, with little fear of contradiction, that from the economist's point of view the growth of prosperity in the United States as a whole has been so enormous as to make the proportion of educational expenditures to real wealth of the community actually smaller than it was in past decades."

If educational expenditures have not increased more rapidly during the past few decades than the wealth of the country, the educational returns have been great indeed. Since 1900 the per cent of children 5 to 18 years of age enrolled in the schools has increased from 72.4 to 77.8; the average length of school term from 144 to 162 days; the average number of days attended by each person 5 to 18 from 72 to 91.3; the average number of days attended by each pupil enrolled from 99 to 144; the per cent of children in high school from 3.3 to 10.2. Then, too, the type of education should be considered. The teaching is better; the courses of study have been improved; the individual differences of children are better provided for, especially in the city schools; vocational courses have been added; the health of the school child is better cared for; hundreds of evening schools for adults have been opened, and so on. With all these facts can anyone say the efficiency of the schools has not kept pace with the increased budget?

Humane

The village constable was exceedingly kind but even the kindest man becomes stern sometimes, and one day it came to pass that he had to lock up three tramps.

An hour or two afterward the local J. P. met him hurrying down the main street and said:

"Where are you hurrying constable?"

"Oh," exlaimed the kind-hearted one, "those three tramps I've locked up want to play whist, so I've come out to look for a fourth."—London Answers.

America Has Half of Movies

There are approximately 47,000 motion picture theaters in the world, of which America has 20,450, or nearly one-half.

Another Lamp Is Always Welcome

THERE is a piquant charm about the portable Electric Lamp that finds an answering chord in every woman's heart. She will surely welcome one for Christmas to beautify another corner in one of her rooms.

Lamps of metal or porcelain in a variety of exquisite designs with shades of silk, parchment or glass to harmonize — representative of the lampmaker's best art— are here, from which you may choose.

Make her happy with a Portable.

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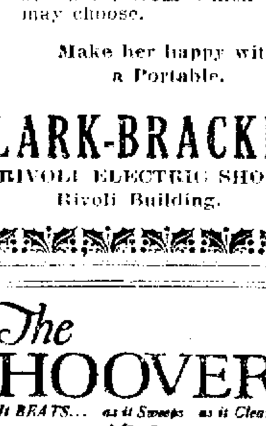

You will win "her" lasting gratitude if you give her a Hoover for Christmas, because she knows, as all women know, that when you give The Hoover you give the best.

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SMITH WILL BOWL CHAMP IN CHICAGO TO ROLL 60 GAMES

CHICAGO. — Arrangements have been completed for a championship bowling match between Jimmy Blouin, present titleholder, and Jimmy Smith, challenger, for the honors won by the former in the world's classic at the Coliseum last year. They will roll sixty games here on Dec. 13, 17, 18 and 19. The Petersen scoring system will be used.

Smith is considered one of the best match bowlers in the country. Until Blouin took the laurels from him in the classic sweepstakes last winter he was considered the world's champion. He has been rolling exceptionally well this season.

In the inter-city match between Milwaukee and Chicago Smith won the match for Milwaukee by averaging 232 in the last ten games.

VARIETY OF MUSIC VODVIL FEATURE AT RIVOLI SUNDAY

The Five Yodeling Troubadours" with their quaint songs, harmonious voices, clever native dances and gorgeous Swiss costumes will lead the Rivoli Sunday vaudeville show. Another feature is Al Gabel and his seven Broadway Entertainers with Hod Williams, the well known tenor and soloist. They are billed as the Seven Singing Syncopators. Elmore and Esther present a comedy skit with funny songs and talk entitled "Circus Day." Tropical Trio are singers and musicians from sunny Spain. This is also a very classy and artistic offering which has made a big success on the Shubert vaudeville time. Rodolph Valentino and Carmel Myers are featured in "All Night" a society comedy drama. There will also be a comedy and news reel on the program.

WILLING'S
Saturday Bargains

Do your Christmas Shopping here and save money.

Small boys' sleeveless denim Overalls, sizes 1 to 4	49c
Small boys' denim Coverall, long sleeves, size 2 to 8 yrs.	89c
Small boys' all wool Jersey Suits, brown or blue, sizes 3 to 8, real $8.00 values	$5.45
Boys' Jersey Mittens with fur trimming	50c
Ladies' all wool Gauntlet Gloves, dark colors	98c
Ladies' extra long gauntlet Gloves, all colors	$1.50
Small boys' Kid Gloves or Mittens, fur trimmed	98c
Men's black leather Automobile Gloves, $3 value	$2.25
Men's fancy knitted Ties, good quality	50c
Men's fine silk Hose, all colors	50c
Ladies' fine embroidered Collars and Cuffs for	50c
Ladies' fine all wool Sweaters, all colors	$2.50
Infants' white silk trimmed Sweaters	98c
Infants' fine wool Hose, black or white	50c
Misses' fine mercerized cotton Hose, 50c value	25c
Ladies' fine brown wool Hose, silk clock	$1.00
Ladies' colored cotton heather mixture Hose	25c
Children's Dr. Denton's Sleeping Gowns, size 2	98c
Sizes 4 to 6, $1.15, and size 8	$1.25
Porcelain Toy Dishes, large size set only	50c
Tin Dishes, per set	15c, 25c, 50c
Climbing Monkeys, special each	15c
Dancing Coon, special at each	50c
Christmas Handkerchiefs, three in box for	25c
Dolls special at from	5c up to $5.00
Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits, $2.00 value	$1.50
Men's Bath Robe Blankets, $10.00 value	$6.50
Infants' Crib Blankets, heavy weight	95c
Try one Grab Box, contains articles up to $1.00 for	10c
Extra large rubber Balls, white with red stripe	50c
Ladies' leather Hand Bags, large assortment from	$1.00 to $3.00
Ladies' Sateen Bloomers, all colors, $1.00 value	85c
Misses' and Children's hand crocheted Caps	$1.50
Boys' heavy fleece lined Union Suits, sizes 2 to 16, price on size 2 (10c higher on large sizes.)	75c
Misses' fine ribbed fleeced Union Suits, size 2 to 16, priced	75c to $1.25
Ladies' heavy black wool Hose	45c
Men's fine black worsted wool Socks	49c
Men's heavy wool work Pants, dark patterns, $5.00 value for	$3.49

WILLING'S
1200 Caledonia St.

SALVATION ARMY CHRISTMAS KETTLES APPEAR ON STREET

The Salvation Army will place their Christmas Kettles on the street Saturday morning at 9 a. m. As has been the custom this will be the only method of securing fund for the Christmas baskets.

No letter appeals will be sent out and no personal solicitation will be made. Those desiring to help may do so by dropping money in kettles on the street or by mailing same.

Any persons knowing of needy families please call 2644-A and report same.

The kettles will stand at Third and Main, Fourth and Main, and Fifth and Main streets.

Hal Books Destroyed

In 221 B. C. Emperor Chi Wangti, desiring to destroy the power of tradition, ordered all books in his empire destroyed except works on divination, agriculture and medicine.

And We Have Apple Days

Nearly one-fourth of the apples shipped in the United States are consumed in the three cities, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

APPLEMAN BEATS HUEBNER, 75-39, THURSDAY NIGHT

Ross Appleman, representing Sheldon's room, defeated Ray Huebner, of the S. & H. Thursday night, 75 to 39, in a contest for the city pocket billiard title.

Plant Heats Whole Orchard

A California orange orchard has a central heating plant with pipes radiating in every direction. In case of a frost while the fruit is on the trees, the whole orchard is heated.

FOR YOUR HEALTH SAKE

drink pure Malt Cereal, the healthiest Coffee Substitute, prepared just like coffee.

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Second W. W.—How did you guess it?

First W. W. — I saw the frightened look on your face.—Oregon Lemon Punch.

Christmas Bazaar and Supper

Fancy Needlework	Fancy Work, Aprons
Novelties, Dolls	Home Baking
Children's Apparel	Candy, Toys

Supper served from 5:30 P. M. on.

First Presbyterian Church
Sixth and King Streets.

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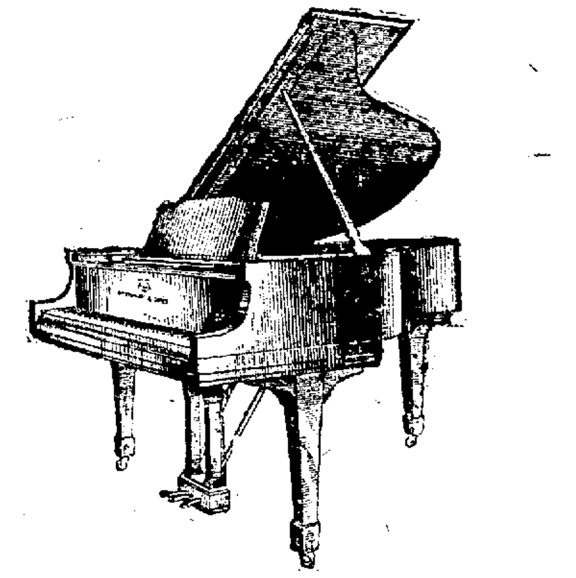

Do you want a Steinway for Christmas? If so, we would advise you to call at once and make your selection, as there is always a shortage on Steinway Pianos just before Christmas.

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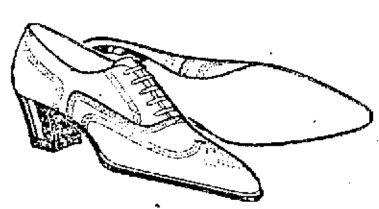
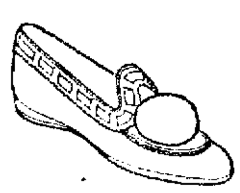
A FEW SUGGESTIONS



Ladies' brown and black Brogue Oxfords, Goodyear welted soles, rubber heels **$3.98**



Ladies' Felt Slippers with soft calfskin soles, all shades, all sizes, on sale at per pair **89c**

Ladies' Felt Slippers with leather soles, all shades, all sizes, on sale at per pair **$1.49**

Ladies' and Growing Girls' High Lace Shoes, Goodyear welted soles, medium and low rubber heels— **$3.98**

Misses' and Children's Hi-cut Shoes with buckles.
Sizes 8½ to 11, at per pair **$2.49**
Sizes 11½ to 2, at per pair **$2.98**

Men's Brown Lace Shoes with brogue toes, Goodyear welt soles, rubber heels, at per pair— **$3.98**

Men's tan and blucher, medium round toe, rubber heels. Special at per pair **$2.98**

Men's tan Hi-cut Shoes, made of genuine elkskin, 18 inches high, special at per pair **$4.98**
16 inches high, per pair **$3.98**

Boys' black and brown Dress Shoes, brogue and pointed toe, rubber heels— **$2.59**

Boys' tan elkskin Hi-cut Shoes
Sizes 11 to 13½, per pair **$2.98** | Sizes 1 to 6, at per pair— **$3.49**

Ladies' 4-buckle Galoshes, first grade rubber, at $3.69	Men's heavy Work Shoes, per pair $1.98	Ladies' Cushion Soles Comfort Shoes, at per pair $1.98	Misses' and Children's Felt Slippers 98c and $1.29

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MAROON QUINTET HITS ITS PACE IN BASKETBALL DRILL

Contenders for Varsity Berths Run Scrubs Ragged in Half Hour Workout

CHICAGO, Ill.—Maroon basketball preparations took on a new note Thursday night when five of the most able of the varsity candidates scrimmaged against a quintet of scrubs, scoring a dozen baskets in less than a half hour, principally through the outstanding performances of Capt. George Yardley, while their opponents scored none.

Though Harry Frida does not seem to be a whiz in some points of the game he bids fair to become the chief basket tosser of the Maroon aggregation, yesterday hooping more than half of the tallies. Willard Balhatchet was the other forward. Joe Duggan played a good guard.

Following the scrimmage, Coach Nels Norgren set his men to practicing on the short passing game which will be used this season. He has cut the varsity candidates down to a dozen.

Butler has been scheduled for a tilt at Indianapolis, probably on Dec. 3. "Pat" Page, one of Stagg's former pupils, is the Butler coach. Another non-conference game is with Vanderbilt on Jan. 1 at the Midway. There is but one other date open for a practice tilt, by the recent ruling of the Big Ten which permits only three each season.

CHURCH ATHLETIC LEAGUE CAGE BALL STARTS SATURDAY

All basketball competition of the church athletic league is to start December 9th.

All Junior and Intermediate teams should be at the Y. M. C. A. at 1:30 Saturday afternoon.

The Senior basket ball begins Saturday night with the first M. E. playing the Congos at 8 o'clock, the First Presbyterians playing the West Avenue M. E. at 8:30, and the Caledonia Street M. E. playing the Salzer at 9 o'clock. The complete schedule will be announced later.

LEADERS IN CHURCH ATHLETIC LEAGUE WIN THREE GAMES

The First Presbyterians and both First Methodist teams won three games and held their position in the standing, the Presbyterians first, Methodists No. 1 and No. 2, respectively, second and third.

The First Congregational No. 2, Bethel Lutherans and Baptists won two out of three from the North Presbyterians, Caledonia M. E. and English Lutherans.

The Bethel Lutheran again took all the honors in the best bowlers column.

The scores:

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Smith	182	151	170
Wettel	185	153	182
Sandgren	143	115	151
Jhirnes	162	162	202
Total	655	621	705

CONGREGATIONAL 2ND

Dittmar	122	164	158
Brahmer	158	147	160
Oyen	108	...	132
Hale	154	161	126
Evenson	...	126	...
Totals	542	598	576

SALZER M. E.

F. Miller	154	161	155
Curran	135	114	121
T. Miller	113	162	148
Hoffman	119	148	134
Totals	523	586	592

FIRST M. E. NO. 1

Myers	177	126	155
Purrey	197	116	158
[illegible]	167	158	142
Ettinger	163	118	151
Totals	704	508	599

FIRST M. E. 2ND

Chinn	177	151	155
Severson	124	158	171
Bergstrom	168	103	176
Cripe	156	183	112
Totals	625	625	614

W. AVE. M. E.

Renner	122	170	150
Tabbert	160	124	142
Nelson	147	160	123
Low score	124	103	142
Totals	551	567	547

NORTH PRESBYTERIAN

M. Jensen	139	158	140
Stumpter	113	132	137
Strain	128	133	125
Newman	165	148	195
Totals	545	551	605

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL 2ND

Dittmar	120	138	143
Brahmer	122	175	142
Evenson	88	...	124
Hale	166	170	165
Oyen	...	137	...
Totals	576	620	575

CALEDONIA M. E.

Gunderson	172	156	157
Olsen	150	161	186
Benson	135	192	144
Low score	151	142	137
Totals	608	651	624

BETHEL LUTHERAN

J. Mekvold	200	162	209
[illegible]	178	142	158
E. Sletten	131	151	137
Al Mekvold	151	178	234
Totals	660	633	738

BAPTIST

Smith	157	155	125
Stewart	181	167	126
Dyer	171	160	158
Low score	117	80	91
Totals	626	562	500

ENGLISH LUTHERAN

Hogan	137	124	129
Wagner	225	157	132
[illegible]	178	125	116
[illegible]	122	80	91
Totals	572	486	508

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MARINETTE-SHEBOYGAN GAME NOT CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST RULING OF SCHOOL ATHLETICS CHAIRMAN

JANESVILLE, Wis.—The Marinette-Sheboygan post-season high school football game scheduled for Green Bay Saturday cannot under any circumstances be considered a "state championship" battle and must not be advertised as such.

A ruling to this effect was made Thursday by Fred J. Holt, Edgerton, chairman of the board of control of the Wisconsin interscholastic athletic association. It was contained in the following message telegraphed to both Marinette and Sheboygan:

"Marinette-Sheboygan game Saturday must not be advertised as state championship decider. Inquire Neverman."

Chairman Holt called attention once more to the action of the W. I. A. A. at its annual meeting in Milwaukee recently at which it was definitely decided not to hold elimination or other title grid games this year.

The board's action was interpreted Thursday by Mr. Holt as positively placing a ban on district or state championship claims, though not interfering with the playing of contests to settle school rivalries.

A complete summary of the situation in which a number of high schools are tangled in claims for the state "title" was made by Mr. Holt in a long statement.

Referring to a press dispatch that Superior had been told to play Spooner, and had done so, he said that game had been ordered by Mr. Neverman, while chairman of the board of control, but the board took no cognizance of it.

Chairman Holt said he could not fathom Marinette's attitude in not playing Superior, as originally planned, and in demanding that Superior come to a field selected by Marinette. He criticised Marinette's stand as dangerous to itself and high school athletics.

The phrase in Mr. Holt's telegram to Marinette and Sheboygan, reading "Inquire Neverman," was included to give both schools to understand that Mr. Neverman is aware of the meaning of the W. I. A. A. ruling on "titles," said Mr. Holt.

BELOW GETS BERTH ON ALL-AMERICAN MYTHICAL SQUAD

Norman E. Brown, New York sport scribe, picks an All-American eleven published in the Milwaukee Sentinel on Friday morning.

"Marty" Below, captain-elect of the Badger eleven, was awarded the right tackle position, while four other conference gridders are also honored.

Following is his All-American selection:

First Team

Left End—Muller, California.
Left Tackle—Treat, Princeton.
Left Guard—Minnick, Iowa.
Center—Garbisch, Army.
Right Guard—Cross, Yale.
Right Tackle—Below, Wisconsin.
Right End—Goebel, Michigan.
Quarter Back—Buell, Harvard.
Left Half—Kipke, Michigan.
Right Half—Locke, Iowa.
Full Back—Kaw, Cornell.

Second Team

Left End—Kadesky, Iowa.
Left Tackle—Hanson, Cornell.
Left Guard—Dickinson, Princeton.
Center—Lovejoy, Yale.
Right Guard—McMillan, Illinois.
Right Tackle—Gulian, Brown.
Right End—Kirk, Michigan.
Quarter Back—Covington, Center.
Left Half—Owen, Harvard.
Right Half—Jordan, Yale.
Full Back—John Thomas, Chicago.

SPORT DEBATE

MORE ABOUT LETTERS

Sporting Editor:

Dear Sir: In last night's debate column I note with interest the article by an enthusiastic football fan. In reply I wish to say that these boys certainly did play good football the whole season through, but, the question is: "Could they not have done better had they adhered strictly to the training rules?" Coach Keogan is not the man to spot his players behind their backs, but had he caught a player breaking training he would undoubtedly have thrown him off the squad, as was the case in one instance. He trusted his players to keep in training, but constant rumors informed him that a great majority of his players were deliberately breaking training. But who could convict a man on such evidence? These players who were breaking training and were not caught thought they were getting "by" big, but when brought face to face with the consequences had to give in, because they realized the evidence was too great against them.

The general public, at least, the majority, are with Keogan on this proposition, and we hope to keep athletics clean as they should be, letters or no letters. Why should these players who will fully admit the injustice they did to the rest of their teammates, be given their letters, when the rest, and members of teams in the past, denied themselves the things which these players partook of?

These players admit that they were not in the pink of physical condition and anyone with the slightest knowledge of football will realize that they were gradually tearing themselves down, and playing football then was more a source of injury than what it did them good. Had certain stars of the team played as they had last year, combined with this year's training, they would have undoubtedly walked all over Superior here Thanksgiving day. That defeat was a shock to the public from which it has not as yet recovered. The people of La Crosse seemed confident of their team's success, but their condition on the field was a disastrous blow.

Those men fully realized that big things were up if they remained undefeated. That team had a chance to put this city on the map as a producer of football stars and football teams.

That trip to Washington would have made them immortal in the eyes of the students and the citizens of La Crosse, who have been so loyal to their team. But they literally threw their chance and everybody's else's chance to the winds just because of their infernal smoking.

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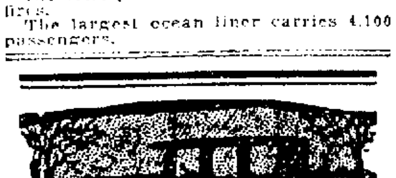

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ANNUAL CANVASS FOR MEMBERSHIP TO SPORTS CLUB

THE annual canvass for membership in the La Crosse Outdoor Sports association will be conducted by teams of the organization on Saturday and Monday.

Instead of the membership card issued in the past two years, the association this year is giving a button on which will be seen the official seal of the organization. The button will denote membership in the organization and should be worn at all times while members are using the rink at Pettibone lagoon.

Your fifty cents will help maintain Pettibone lagoon during the coming winter.

EXPECT RECORD ATTENDANCE AT GREEN BAY TILT

GREEN BAY, Wis.—A record in attendance at an interscholastic football game is expected to be made here Saturday when Marinette and Sheboygan high school elevens meet in a post-season game to decide the football "championship" of Wisconsin. A special train has been chartered by about six hundred Marinette rooters who will follow their team to Green Bay, while several hundred followers of Coach Iverson's team will arrive on a special train from Sheboygan.

Both elevens are in excellent condition and confident of victory, each having ended their season without defeat in the race for the state championship. Marinette, although defeated at Toledo by Scott high school, has won every game handily, piling up a total of 302 points as against their opponents' 58. Sheboygan's record shows better defensive power than that displayed by the northerners although her offensive falls short of Marinette's. Sheboygan's opponents scored but nineteen points this season, while Coach Iverson's eleven succeeded in piling up a total of 119.

MISKE-GIBBONS IS FIRST LEGALIZED MINNESOTA BOUT

ST. PAUL, Minn.—The scheduled ten round no decision bout between Billy Miske and Tommy Gibbons, heavyweights, here on December 15 may be the first legalized decision bout in Minnesota, it was indicated Friday.

The state boxing commission has the power to allow decision bouts and both Gibbons and Miske have expressed willingness to make their coming bout a decision affair. Heretofore no official verdicts have been rendered.

No definite action has been taken yet by the commission.

JIMMY GILL WINS FROM KID WHEELOCK AT LINCOLN, NEB.

Jimmy Gill, the La Crosse speed boy, won from Kid Wheelock on a foul in the third round of their fight at Lincoln, Nebraska, Thursday night.

For three rounds Gill gave Wheelock a one-sided lacing, hitting him at will with jabs and right crosses and uppercuts. Wheelock fouled continually losing on a foul to save himself from a knockout in the third.

NEVERMAN "DOUBLE-CROSSED" OTHER COACHES OF STATE IS STATEMENT AT STEVENS POINT

STEVENS POINT, Wis.—P. F. Neverman, superintendent of schools of Marinette and head of the board of control of the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic association, "double-crossed" coaches of undefeated high school teams, is the declaration of Coach Carl H. Olsson of the Stevens Point high school.

Marinette's claims that the game with Sheboygan at Green Bay Saturday is to be a "state championship" affair, are absolutely in contradiction with a decision of the coaches of unbeaten teams at a meeting in Milwaukee near the close of the season says Coach Olsson.

Contenders Coaches Meet

"When the coaches of schools in the W. I. A. A. met at Milwaukee this fall, a special meeting of coaches of socalled state championship contending teams was held. Mr. Neverman was at this meeting and all agreed that because of the many contenders and because of the fact that the season would drag into December there would be no state championship decided" said Olsson.

"The next day a general meeting of the W. I. A. A. was held and Mr. Neverman himself announced the decision. He stated at the time that it had been decided not to play for a state championship but that it was believed better to have intersectional games among teams. The season should be closed by December 1, he stated, was the decision of the coaches," continued the local coach.

"Double-Crossed"

"Some time later Secretary Holt of the W. I. A. A. through the state press, said that there would be no championship and the decision of the meeting of the coaches was given out," Olsson declared. "It seems that Mr. Neverman of Marinette has double-crossed the remainder of unbeaten teams in the state. We decided to stop playing in Stevens Point because we believed we could not win a state championship on account of the W. I. A. A. ruling. Now Marinette and Sheboygan are playing for a so-called 'state championship.' It seems to me that if Mr. Neverman was playing square with the other coaches in the state and with the W. I. A. A. of which he is the head of the board of control, he would have his team put its suits in the moth balls, as we have done, and as Sheboygan intended to do.

Frank Sinclair, sporting editor of the Janesville Gazette, says of the situation:

"Either the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic association should determine a method of picking the football champion of Badger high schools or it should prohibit the playing of contests under the guise of 'title' games. If it has any power, it can do it. The present state situation has made it necessary. On Tuesday Marinette high made its second cancellation of the year by breaking an agreement of its own making. Fresh from the spoils of an easy victory over West Allis, Marinette is again picking teams to play for the 'title.' This, after beating a team not considered much of a contender for state honors. This, after issuing a broadside challenge. It has refused to meet Superior.

"The state is wondering how to fathom the Marinette mind. Like the old colored man, it pricks up its ears and queries: 'Says which?' Tuesday Marinette announced it would play Sheboygan at Green Bay next Saturday for the 'state championship,' the announcement supposedly coming from the office of P. F. Neverman, member of the W. I. A. A. board of control and last year's chairman. Sheboygan is undefeated but is not so strong as Superior, although entitled to the 'claim,' along with Edgerton and a few others.

"Let's repeat a bit of history. Several weeks ago Marinette announced if it defeated West Allis it would play the winner of the Superior-La Crosse game, either at Green Bay or a city in Michigan, on December 9. The cancellation of Tuesday says Superior has not played a representative enough Wisconsin schedule to warrant Marinette meeting them. Why did it take Marinette so long to learn this when Superior's record was published all over the state?

"Just a little more history. Last year Superior journeyed to Marinette and lost, Marinette claiming the 'mythical title' as a result. Last year Superior did not play any more of a 'representative Wisconsin schedule' than this year. In fact, victory over La Crosse last Thursday gives Superior a better showing than a year ago. Can it be that Marinette is afraid of Superior?

"The latest from Marinette was not unexpected. La Crosse anticipated it when R. L. Bangsberg said in the Tribune of that city. 'It is certain that Marinette will be held to her agreement to meet Superior in view of the latter's win.' Further, Superior was making every preparation for the battle. It was willing to make the long journey to Green Bay, close to Marinette, even though it traveled to Marinette last year. The situation is giving Marinette much adverse advertising. It is not adding any strength to the W. I. R. A. Besides, sportsmanship requires a little more giving than taking."

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GEORGES EASY FOE SAYS BATTLING SIKI IN LETTER THURSDAY

Says the American Public Has Been Imposed Upon; Match Was Fixed

PARIS.—In a letter addressed to the French press, Battling Siki, the Senegalese fighter, on Thursday reiterated the charges which he made exclusively to the Associated Press last Monday—that the fight between Siki and Georges Carpentier, which was won by the negro, had been "fixed."

"The match was fixed," says Siki's letter, "and I could not avoid it until I got into the ring. But now I have been deprived of my title, and I will push matters before the courts. I never received the amount of money I was entitled to from the stakes.

"But I am merely a plain fighter; don't ask me to be a lawyer. From now on I will have nothing further to say. I must refer you to my lawyer, M. Delmont, and to Deputy Diagne."

The French boxing federation has decided to make a most complete investigation of the arrangements preceding the Siki-Carpentier fight. It has named a subcommission which has been invested with unlimited powers for the collection of evidence and taking testimony. Franz Reichel, secretary of the Olympic committee, has been appointed secretary of the subcommission, which will meet for the first time on Friday. It is expected to have the report ready prior to the expiration of the period of delay granted Deputy Diagne to produce his evidence of unfair tactics in arranging the bout.

Although Siki has declared he would talk no more, except through his attorney and Senator Diagne, nevertheless when seen Thursday evening he said:

"Carpentier was one of the easiest marks I had met in my career. He never had any business in the same ring with Jack Dempsey. The American public has been imposed on the same as has the French public, as there surely are ten heavyweights in America who can knock Georges for a 'goat.' Marcel Nilles is a much tougher man than Carpentier. Georges knows very well he is taking no chances in challenging me for a return match, for I am disqualified now and can not fight for months."

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PROHIBITION LOOMS UP AS BIG ISSUE IN 1923 LEGISLATURE

Look for Enactment of Measure Calling for Referendum on Liquor Question

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—After a complete survey of the legislature, dry leaders in the state Friday concluded that out of a series of moves to bring about an expression of Wisconsin's attitude on prohibition at the coming session, would come the enactment of a measure calling for a referendum on some form of the wet and dry question.

There is general agreement that the liquor issue is to figure prominently in the 1923 Wisconsin legislature, which is admittedly wet in the lower house, and has 17 out of the 33 senators either avowedly wet or endorsed by the Wisconsin Division of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, as "satisfactory." The close division in the upper house leads the drys to assert that a compromise referendum bill will be the result of efforts to repeal the Severson enforcement statute.

Without direct intervention of administration to head off the referendum vote, its success is said by the drys to be assured. They express the belief that the referendum measure will take the form of an enforcement bill to replace the Severson law, its enactment to be dependent upon ratification by the people either at the next April nonpartisan election or at the next general election.

According to expressions from those who have investigated the situation, many of the drys who would oppose a memorial to congress calling for wine and beer, would support a referendum measure because of their adherence to the belief that the people should be allowed to express themselves on any subject.

Some of the Milwaukee legislators were elected to office pledged to work for modification of the liquor laws, a fact which is said to practically assure the introduction of the issue into the session. Once brought before a Wisconsin legislature this question assumes immediate importance.

The close division of the senate, which might be changed to a dry majority with the switch of one vote, leads the drys to say that there is danger of the Severson law being repealed by direct action of the legislature. They are confident that there will be little if any modification of the provisions of the enforcement measure. They also say that the legislature will refuse to memorialize congress for a return of wine and beer.

The proposed referendum is taken as a compromise measure which is believed to provide a satisfactory means to satisfy both the wet and the dry faction leaving to the people the final determination of the issue involved.

THE GHOST WALKS ENTERTAINS BIG HOUSE FIRST NIGHT

Those in the audience at the La Crosse Theater last night sat on the edge of their seats through three acts of the creepiest ghost scenes most of them will ever care to see. Of course "The Ghost Walks" is a comedy, but nevertheless, things looked pretty serious at times and the audience was kept guessing as to how things would turn out.

"The Ghost Walks" relates the story of the search by Henry Owen and his family for a treasure supposed to have been hidden by Kasper Aoult, who had been murdered in his home. Aoult had willed the money to Owen but no one knew where the money was hidden. The Owen family comes to the Aoult home to take possession of it. They arrive at a late hour on a stormy night and are greeted by Sarah, the housekeeper, who had been sent on ahead to make the house ready for occupancy, by the news that it is haunted. All efforts to disprove her word fail and this is when weird and uncanny things happen so fast and in such a funny way that the audience is kept in an uproar. Adolph Winninger took the part of Sarah, the housekeeper, and furnished a good share of the laughs. Leila Hill took the part of the nervous wife of Henry Owen to perfection. Clyde Armstrong played Owen, the book worm who caused most of the trouble in the household by his absent-mindedness. Rosalind Mahan was convincing in the part of the girl reporter who tries to ferret out the ghost mystery and Helen Russell does some good acting in the part of the crook.

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Of the $5,043,431 spent by the university in 1921, the college of agriculture cost $1,267,011, rivaled only by the college of letters and science, which cost $1,175,820.

Teaching of military science at the university as required of a federal land grant college cost $33,427 for the one year while physical education added $205,306.

The college of engineering expended $518,022; medical school, $330,431; music school, $17,301, and the law school, $51,101. Work done by the extension division cost $421,888, while the Washburn observatory with its two telescopes nightly pointed into the starry regions cost but $9,884.

During the same period of the total of over five million dollars expended the state contributed 54.28 per cent; the students through fees, 24.44 per cent; the United States government, 4.95 per cent; the counties .02 per cent; gifts, .80 per cent; interest on funds, .80 per cent, and revenue from miscellaneous sources brought in the other 14.71 per cent.

BANKERS CALL ON BLAINE

MADISON, Wis.—The legislative committees of the Wisconsin Bankers' associations called on Governor Blaine late Thursday. No definite proposals for legislation were mentioned.

Among those who were present at the short conference were H. J. Mortenson, New Lisbon; A. O. Paunack, Madison; Charles Hawks, Horicon; President J. M. Smith, Shell Lake; Secretary George E. Bartlett, Milwaukee; J. J. Jamieson, Shullsburg; W. E. Sprecher, E. J. Hughes, Milwaukee, and A. Bradford of Augusta.

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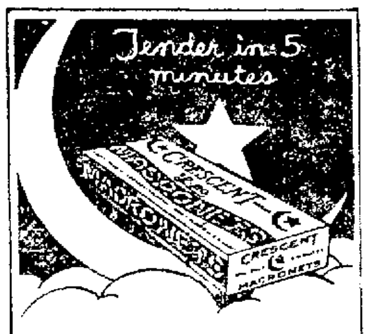

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Butter, fresh creamery, our Minnesota brand, at per pound — 55c
Whipping Cream at per quart — 27c
Dates, fresh golden bulk dates, per pound — 13c
2 pounds for 25c.
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, per package — 13c
Maple Syrup, 1-pint can, per can — 21c
Baked Beans in tomato sauce, No. 2½ can — 10c
Baby Rice Pop Corn, 2-pound sack for — 25c
Tomatoes, hand packed, No. 3 can — 14c
Fresh Mince Meat, bulk, per pound — 20c
Cottage Cheese, nice and fresh, per pound — 10c
Extra Special, our Shamrock brand Coffee, at per pound — 28c
6 Bars Palmolive Soap for — 49c
One Bar Free.
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Macaroni, Minnesota brand — 3 pkgs. for 25c
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Little Pey Sausages, per pound — 20c
Fresh Neck Bones at per pound — 5c
Pure Sausage Meat, per pound — 12½c
Fresh Hamburger, per pound — 12½c
Pork Shoulder Roast, per pound — 15c
Pork Leg Roast, per pound — 18c, 20c
Pork Loin Roast, per pound — 18c, 20c
Fresh Side Pork at per pound — 17c
Veal Shoulder Roast, per pound — 10c, 15c
Beef Pot Roast, per pound — 10c, 12c
Good Beef Steaks at per pound — 15c
Rolled Rib Roast at per pound — 15c
Fresh Cottage Cheese — 2 lbs. for 15c
Sugar cured Bacon Slab or half, pound — 22c, 25c
Bacon Squares, Sugar cured, per pound — 15c
Regular Sugar cured Hams, per pound — 18c
Home made Sauerkraut, per quart — 10c
Spring Lamb, Fresh dressed Chickens, Fresh Spare Ribs, Oysters, Swift's Premium Hams, Fresh Vegetables and Fruit.
FREE DELIVERY.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Butter, fresh creamery, per pound — 52c
Butter, Economy brand, per pound — 56c
Margarine, best grade of Nut Margarine, pound — 23c
Raisins, new crop seedless, per pound — 12½c
Prunes, medium size Santa Clara Prunes, new crop, per pound — 12c
Cluster Raisins, fancy cluster table Raisins, lb. — 20c
Soap, P. & G. White Naptha — 10 bars for 45c
Hickory Nuts, new crop — 4 lbs. for 25c
Apples, Jonathans, per box — $1.75
Crackers, Soda and Oyster Crackers, fresh baked, per pound — 10c
Tomatoes, No. 2 cans extra standard grade can, at per can — 12c
3 Cans for 35c.
Candy, fancy mixed pure fruit flavors, per pound — 25c
Grape Fruit, fancy lot Sealsweet, each — 5½c
Syrup, 10-pound can of Golden syrup — 45c
5-Pound can 24c.
Starch, laundry, at — 3 lbs. for 20c
Creamettes, special at — 4 pkgs. for 25c
Bob White Cookies, per pound — 15c
ALL DELIVERIES FREE.

The Economy Grocery
J. B. MULDER.
5th and Winnebago Sts.
Phone 487.

Glad Tu Meat Chu

We had a fine lot of beef last sale day and have even better beef for this week end at the same low prices.

BEST BEEF POT ROAST, per pound — 12½c
BACON SQUARES, special per pound — 12½c
PICNIC HAMS, special at per pound — 12½c
FRESH PORK PICNICS at per pound — 10c
Rolled RIB BEEF ROAST, per pound — 15c
SIRLOIN AND ROUND STEAK, good cuts, pound — 15c
NICE PORK LOIN ROAST, nice cuts, from 23c to — 18c
PORK LEG ROAST at per pound 20c to — 15c
VEAL LEG ROAST, center cut, per pound — 20c
VEAL POT ROAST at per pound — 10c
FRESH RAW LEAF LARD, per pound — 12½c

Chickens, Hearts, Liver, Kidneys, Spare Ribs, Tongues, Lamb, Mutton, Sauerkraut and some extra fancy little pig smoked Hams.

Saturday is our big day. Special prices on practically everything.

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Meat Market and Sausage Factory
121 So. Third St.

SHOP AT
BUEHLER BROS.
Where Your Money Buys the Most and Best.
SATURDAY SPECIALS

Soup Meat, Neck Bones, Pig's Feet, Veal Stew, Pig's Liver, Pig Hearts, at per pound — 5c

Hamburger, per pound — 8c
Sausage Meat, per pound — 8c
Veal Breast, to fill, pound — 8c
Home-made Liver Sausage, per pound — 10c
Beef Roast, per pound — 10c
Smoked Picnic Hams, lb. — 12½c
Round, or Sirloin Steak, per pound — 12½c
Veal Chops, per pound — 12½c
Pork Shoulder Roast, lb. — 12½c
Veal Leg Roast, pound — 15c

CHICKEN, per pound — 20c
308 MAIN STREET

HOFF'S Cash and Carry GROCERY

119 S. 3rd
Phone 527.

CELERY-CABBAGE
WAX BEANS
CAULIFLOWER
COCOANUTS

HEAD and Leaf Lettuce, Parsley, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Radishes, Green Onions, Garlic, Celery, New Carrots, Spinach, and Squash. Cranberries, new California and Florida Oranges, Grapefruit, Bananas, Lemons, Pears, La Crescent Delicious Apples.

NEW NUTS of all kinds. We handle only the best—Walnuts, Brazil, Pecans, Filberts, Almonds, fancy Mixed Nuts, and Black Walnuts and Hickory Nuts.

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"Mother Nature's year 'round jell-maker".
Anyone can now make any kind of jam or jelly from fresh or canned fruits, and all kinds of bottled fruit juices.

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Telephone 2187-A.

Saturday Specials

Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen — 52c
Fresh Comb Honey, per cake — 20c
Fresh Soda Crackers, per pound — 10c
6 bars Laundry Soap for — 25c
3 bars Palmolive Soap for — 25c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, per peck — 45c
Campbell's Soups, per can — 10c
Puffed Rice, at per package — 15c
ALL DELIVERIES FREE.

FOR SATURDAY

Veal Stew, at per pound — 6c
Veal Shoulder, per pound — 10c
Bacon Squares, per pound — 12½c
Fresh Smoked Picnic Hams, pound — 15c
Veal Leg Roast, per pound — 18c
Soup Meat, at per pound — 7c
Beef Roast, per pound — 10c
Choice Corned Beef, pound — 12½c
Rolled Beef Roast, per pound — 15c
Pig's Feet, Neck Bones, Pork Kidneys and Pig Snouts, pound — 5c

J. L. FRANSEN
Phone 1837-C. 932 Caledonia Street.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Palmolive soap — 7 bars for 47c
Macaroni, long, bulk — 2 lbs. for 23c
Calumet Baking Powder, 1-lb. can — 27c
Northwest soap — 5 bars for 23c
Rye Flour, white, 10-lb. sack for — 39c
Graham Flour, 10-lb. sack for — 39c
Powdered Sugar, per pound — 10c
Syrup, Penick golden, 10-lb. pail — 42c

Try our BULK COFFEES, 30c, 35c, 40c and 45c grades. Fresh roasted and quality guaranteed.

West-Ave. Cash & Carry Grocery
Corner 12th and Jackson Sts.

ROCKLAND STORE BURNED TO GROUND WITH LARGE LOSS

Abrahamson Store and Stock Ruined in the Early Morning Hours

A loss of $35,000 was sustained when fire destroyed the Abrahamson department store at Rockland, 20 miles east of La Crosse, early Thursday morning.

Mr. Abrahamson and his assistant, Mr. Hart, were sleeping in the store and were awakened by the heat and smoke. They got out with what clothing they could hastily pick up, losing their overcoats, the buffalo robes and blankets out of their car which were in the building for the night.

Sparta and Bangor fire companies were appealed to, and the Sparta chemical engine and eight men made the seven mile trip from Sparta to Rockland in nine minutes, blowing the whistle all the way. The Bangor firemen were given word they need not come, as the building was ruined.

In addition to the store and stock Mr. Abrahamson lost $50 in cash in the money drawer that he was unable to get out.

Adjoining buildings of Otto Olson and Tom Davis caught fire, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

An Ideal Companion

A woman inserted the following advertisement in a newspaper:

"Wanted, companion for a lady; must be a total abstainer; must be cleanly in her habits and know a little about nursing. Comfortable home, no salary."

A few days later she received by express a basket containing a tabby cat. An accompanying note said: "In reply to your advertisement I recommend bearer. She is a total abstainer, cleanly in her habits and knows a little of nursing, having brought up a large family. She will be pleased to accept comfortable home and requires no salary."—London Chronicle.

Water Volume

In a single hour the enormous average total of 90,000,000,000 tons of water rolls along the course of the gulf stream.

CORNS

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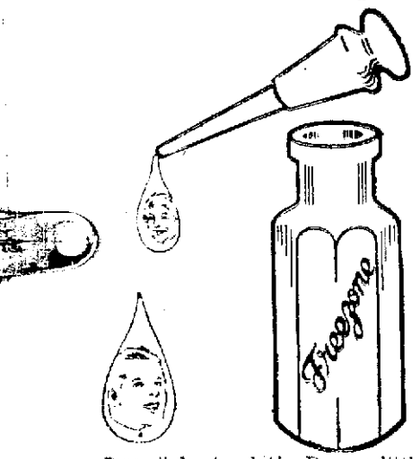

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callouses, without soreness or irritation.

Walk-Over Princess Pat

The most popular women's shoe in the world for the best reason in the world—it fits the natural lines of the feet, so that they are poised as they should be poised—straight inside line—narrow heel fitting—snugness across the instep.

Result—you wear it all day. You walk and walk, yet your feet never tire or lose their shape.

Shown here in dull black kid

Also carried in brown kid.

$10.00

Walk-Over BOOT SHOP

424 Main St.

MOVIES

CONSTANCE TALMADGE—RIVOLI

It is indeed an all star cast seen this week in support of Constance Talmadge at the Rivoli Theater, where "East is West," is being shown. Warner Oland plays Charley Young, the villainous "fifty-fifty" Chinaman. Mr. Oland is remembered not only as a bad man of the serials but also for his appearance in many feature productions. His is a conspicuous part and he makes the most of it. Edward Burns, who plays Billy Benson, was last seen here in Support of Katherine MacDonald. He is a well known young leading man.

All these players are near stars in their own right and make up an effective company in support of the scintillating Miss Talmadge.

HAMMERSTEIN AT STRAND

Though it is customary for Elaine Hammerstein to receive the best materials obtainable in the manufacture of her starring pictures, it is rare indeed that she or any other screen star is provided with such a large and uniformly fine supporting cast as the one which is to be seen in her newest Selznick Picture, "Why Announce Your Marriage?" to be shown at the Strand theater today.

"Why Announce Your Marriage?" is a comedy drama which introduces into the story no less than six important characters.

Niles Welch, Arthur Housman, Huntley Gordon, play important parts as does Frank Currier, Marie Burke and James Harrison.

BIG PLAYERS IN "EBB TIDE" SHOWING AT THE CASINO

Two exceptional characterizations are to be seen in "Ebb Tide," George Melford's new Paramount production which is coming to the Casino Theater today. These are a degenerate scoundrel, portrayed by Robert Hatton, and a dissolute sea captain, done by George Fawcett. Hatton does to perfection the role of a totally bad young man, while Fawcett is seen in what is considered by many the best role of his screen career. But the good work does not stop with Mr. Hatton and Mr. Fawcett, for the cast is an all-star one and includes, besides those named, James Kirkwood, Lila Lee, Noah Beery and Jacqueline Logan.

"VEILED WOMAN"—MAJESTIC

One of the sweetest and, at the same time, most dramatic stories of the year on the screen delighted the audiences at the Majestic Theater, yesterday in the showing of "The Veiled Woman," from the famous Myrtle Reed novel. Character drawing that carries many of our elders back through the years to the "springtime of life" has created a photodrama that will live long in pleasing memory.

RIVIERA SUNDAY

In "The Referee," Conway Tearle casts aside the habiliments of a "cake eater" and dons the belligerent trunks of a prize-fighter. In ring attire, Mr. Tearle is every muscle the man's man; and in street attire he is every seam the heart flutterer.

For his leading woman in his present production Tearle has Gladys Hulette who will be remembered for her excellent work in "Teitable David." Miss Hulette is utterly charming and lovely to look upon; and her acting is something to get enthusiastic about. The Tearle-Hulette team is enough in itself to put "The referee" over.

WILL ROGERS PLAYS HIS FAVORITE ROLE

"Everything comes to him who waits", according to the old maxim, and for once this came true in the life of Will Rogers, who plays the role of Ichabod Crane in "The Headless Horseman" or "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," the scheduled attraction playing at the Riviera theatre for two days.

It has always been, according to Mr. Rogers, his desire to play certain roles or represent certain characters in modern dramas. One of these was "Macbeth," the other was "Rip Van Winkle" and the last was Ichabod Crane in "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow." In the role of Ichabod Crane, Mr. Rogers must be his own self, allowing his pleasing personality to hold full sway. The very fact that he likes the role makes his characterization very near perfect.

Marionettes were used by Chinese 4,000 years ago.

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A comedy act with a musical surprise. Character Comedians

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It's a wonderful show Don't miss it.

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HAL KITER AND HIS COMEDIANS AND MUSI-GALS

—IN—

"OH DOCTOR"

A hodge-podge of laughs, music and pretty girls.

—AND—

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California Bathing Beauties in original costumes, posed by Hal Kiter Co.

—AND—

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"THE VEILED WOMAN"

—ALSO—

International News

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LA CROSSE THEATRE

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"EBB TIDE"

LILA LEE and JAMES KIRKWOOD

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A Timely and Romantic Comedy.

Snub Pollard Comedy "Hook, Line and Sinker"

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WILL ROGERS AS ICHABOD CRANE

—IN—

"THE HEADLESS HORSEMAN"

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PLAYING A SPECIAL MUSIC SCORE FOR

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a C. S. Clancy Production

"The HEADLESS HORSEMAN"

Adapted from WASHINGTON IRVING'S

LEGEND OF SLEEPY HOLLOW

with

WILL ROGERS

as Ichabod Crane

A STORY THAT IS KNOWN TO MILLIONS!
A CHARACTER THAT IS LOVED BY ALL!

You know "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow!" You know the quaint character of Ichabod Crane!

YOU WILL laugh at Will Rogers as the eccentric pedagogue of Sleepy Hollow!

Be amused by the most novel courtship ever seen!

Thrill at the meeting of Ichabod and the Headless Horseman in one of the most exciting races ever filmed!

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LEARN ALL ABOUT AUTOS, Tractors and Auto electricity. Splendid opportunity to every ambitious man wishing to earn $100 to $400 a month. Write for "Free Training Book." Milwaukee Motor School. Dept. [illegible] 555 Downer Ave., Milwaukee. 12 1 9

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YOUNG WOMEN to study nursing. Two year course, fully accredited training school. New, modern nurses' home. January class now forming. Cash allowance while training. State age and preliminary education. Englewood Hospital, 60th and Green sts., Chicago. Wed Fri

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WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. One who can go home nights. Apply Mrs. G. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 12 5 11

GOOD WAGES to experienced girl for second work. No washing. Mrs. E. L. Crimon, 1326 Cass. 12 8 14

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WANTED—Girl to assist with housework and care of children. Mrs. Pedesky, 415 So. 17th. 12 6 12

GIRL OR WOMAN for light housework, mornings. [illegible] So. 14th. Phone [illegible]. 12 8 10

WANTED—First class cook. Pay good wages. [illegible] St. Tel. 1041-Green. 12 7 10

WANTED—A housekeeper. No washing. Mrs. N. M. [illegible], 127 S. 7th St. 12 7 10

WANTED—Competent maid. Two in family. [illegible] Ave. So. 12 8 14

WANTED—Girl. Wheeler's Restaurant. 508 Main. 12 4 10

GOOD COOK wanted. Chicago Cafe. 210 Pearl. 12 8 9

GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1456 Madison. 12 2 8

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SOLICITORS wanted to sell [illegible] ing household necessity. Experience not necessary. Average sales ability will net at least $8 daily. W. B. Fackler, [illegible] No. Fourth St. 12 7 8

FOUR EXPERIENCED salesmen. Only conscientious workers need apply. Call Saturday afternoon. Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power Co. Mr. Horn. 12 8 8

SALESMEN—Exceptional opportunity. Hustlers earning $100. Write Mc-Cleery Calendar Factory, Washington, Iowa. 10 27 Fri

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SELL HARDY nursery stock and earn $25.00 to $50.00 weekly with part expense. We show you how. Supplies free. Easy work for young and old. Hawks Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, Wis. 12 8 8

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FOR SALE—Seven room frame house, hardwood floors [illegible] are two large screen porches. House in good condition. Large barn, garage and chicken coop with five acres of good soil. Five blocks from car line. Will sell cheap. 2621 So. 16th. 12 8 9

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HOUSE FOR SALE at [illegible] and Pine streets. To be removed at once. Jay T. Day. 12 2 8

LOTS FOR SALE. Call [illegible] 12 8 11

FOR SALE—FARMS

FARM FOR SALE—[illegible] acres. Inquire 1526 Johnson. 12 6 12

AUTOMOBILES

RADIATORS, fenders and bodies. Why not have them repaired the right way? Rebuilt, recored. Work guaranteed. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 118 Pearl. Phone 288. 3 15 tf

AUTO REPAIRING and general overhauling. Better work and for less money. Try us. West Ave. Vine Garage, 1211 Vine St. 12 8 12

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STORAGE for a few more cars. Very reasonable rates. West Ave.-Vine Garage, 1211 Vine St. 12 8 12

FOR SALE—1922 model D. B. Chevrolet roadster, fully equipped and in good condition. [illegible] Main. 12 8 8

FOR SALE—[illegible] ton truck. Cheap if taken at once. 1021 Liberty or phone 1852-M. 12 7 9

FOR SALE—[illegible] ton trailer with body. 2165. [illegible] 12 8 11

FOR SALE—1917 Ford roadster. Call 1545-R. 12 7 12

Situation Wanted—Male

SITUATION WANTED by married man with twelve years credit, accounting and sales experience. Good education and a steady worker. X-26, care Tribune. 12 8 10

MARRIED MAN wants work. Experience as truck driver. Willing to do any kind of work. H. Lantow, 224 State St. Phone [illegible]. 12 7 9

YOUNG MAN desires to work for room or board or both. Call Dr. Ranzsberg. Normal or 1063-R. 12 6 8

WANTED—Position as [illegible] experienced laundryman or fireman. Phone 2513-C. 12 1 19

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—$25 black and white striped wool skirt $2. $10 Russian calf oxfords, size 5½. Never worn $3. Black wool Jersey, Tuxedo style, $2. Also pink and black silk sweater. Other wearing apparel, such as silk dresses, georgette waists in dark blue and black. Very cheap. Call 665-R before 8 o'clock. 12 7 8

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Good team of horses and harness. Also colt. Inquire 4th and King or 1414 State street. 12 5 9

FOR SALE—Mahogany finished table, 24x24 inch top. Suitable for card table; also rocker. Call 909 South 6th. 12 6 8

FOR SALE—Kodak, Eastman No. 1-A Junior with carrier. Also lady's winter coat and dress. Call 835-Red. 12 7 8

FOR SALE—Used cornets and other band instruments, $12.50 up. Weekly payments. Leithold Piano Co. 12 2 8

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MAN'S BICYCLE and Majestic range for sale. Very cheap. Also boy's overcoat. Size 14. Phone 880-C. 12 7 9

SOFT COAL heaters, range, iron bedsteads, kitchen chairs, rugs and carpet strips. 2408 George. 12 8 9

FOR SALE—Brown wool velour coat, modern style. Size 36. Reasonable. Phone 1190-R. 12 7 8

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FOR SALE—Hard coal heater. Good condition. Also iron bed. Phone 2634-C. 12 8 9

DAVENPORT, square table, leather rocker. Call 911 Mississippi after 6:30. 12 6 8

FOR SALE—Square pianos and organs for $5.00 per month. Leithold Piano Co. 12 2 8

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FOR SALE—Pair English skates, shoes attached, size 5½. Call phone 2396. Fri Sun

DINING table and chairs. Large office or library table. 125 17th Place. 12 5 9

COLMAN gas lamp and soft coal heater. Good as new. 923 Green Bay. 12 7 8

FOR SALE—Black fur robe in good condition. Call after 6. 1142-M. 12 8 10

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PRACTICALLY new Remington portable typewriter. Call 1675-A. 12 8 10

FOR SALE—Used phonographs, $5.00 up. Leithold Piano Co. 12 2 8

FOR SALE—Library table, bed spread and 9x10 rug. 518 Gould St. 12 6 8

1,000 POUND hydraulic elevator. Inquire Arenz Shoe Store. 12 7 tf

FOR SALE—Hudson seal coat. Bargain. Call 124 So. 11th. 12 8 10

FOR SALE—Range with reservoir cheap. Phone 2571-R. 12 8 9

FOR SALE—Fine mahogany table. Like new. 512 Main. 12 7 20

FOR SALE—Four burner oil range. Cheap. Phone 1210-C. 12 8 10

FOR SALE—Child's bed and mattress. Call 1268-R. 12 8 9

HOUSEHOLD goods and furniture. 918 So. 15th St. 12 7 8

DRY OAK stove wood for sale. Phone 1818-M. 12 8 9

THREE-PIECE oak bedroom suite. 168 No. 5th. 12 6 12

FOR SALE—Soft coal heater. 1216 So. 7th. 12 6 8

SECOND growth cord wood. 2734-C. 11 23 12 22

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MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Friss-Niebuhr Agency. 309-312 Newburg Bldg. 7 22 tf

Situation Wanted—Female

HIGH SCHOOL and business college graduate wants position as stenographer. Phone 1627-M. 12 7 8

W. R. U. STUDENT wants place to work for board and room. Call 941-C. 12 7 9

SITUATION wanted by practical nurse. 1815 Loomis St. 12 8 9

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Fox hound. Black, tan and white. Stands about 20 inches. Call Star Restaurant or 118 So. 2nd. Reward. 12 6 12

LOST

LADY'S DARK BROWN WOOL SCARF

About ten days ago. Call 320. Reward.

LOST—Tan knitted mitten with tassels. Return to 412 Mississippi. 12 7 8

FOUND—Fox hound. Call 1528 M. O. Read. 12 7 9

WANT TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. Write "M. R." care Tribune, stating rent, location, etc. 12 7 9

COLLECTIONS

ACCOUNTS collected on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 212 Newburg Bldg. 6 21 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

YOUR WASHING called for and delivered, by per pound. We also wash carpet strips. Home Wet Wash Laundry. 811 Rose. Phone 2574-C. 12 7 20

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Boyer-Furber Furniture Company. 1 1 18 tf

FINE WATCH and clock repairing. Reasonable prices. Prompt service. L. P. Peet, 320 Main St. 12 8 8

QUICK, satisfactory dressmaking and hemstitching. Prices reasonable. 2626-C. 428 So. 19th. 11 13 1mo

DRESSMAKING, 402 No. 6th St. 12 6 8

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT FREIGHT RATES on household goods, North, South, East and West. For particulars write Boyd Transfer & Storage Company, Minneapolis. 11 8 tf

POULTRY AND PETS

FOR SALE—Airdale pups $10 each. 6 months old. Phone 349-3 rings. 12 5 11

FOR SALE—Canary birds. 1006 Mississippi St. Phone 1407-R. 12 7 9

CANARY birds for sale. Good singers. Inquire 517 No. 6th. 12 8 10

SEVEN Plymouth Rock hens for sale. Call 2312-A. 12 7 9

FOR SALE—Squirrel and rabbit hound. 810 Ferry. 12 8 9

A-1 RABBIT hound for sale. Call 2156-R. 12 8 10

WANT TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—A used roadster. Must be cheap and in good condition. No Fords. Don't telephone. E. H. Derr, City Scales. 12 7 9

WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1580-R. 11 18 1mo

WANTED TO BUY—Fresh milch cow. C. H. Gaskill, Hokah, Minn. 12 8 10

FOR RENT—ROOMS

LARGE front room, two beds, suitable for two or four people. Modern. 528 So. 4th St. Phone 1997-R. 12 6 8

CITY HEATED furnished well lighted housekeeping large rooms. Linoleum on floors. 113 So. 3rd St. 12 7 9

LARGE unfurnished room. Lower floor. Gentleman preferred. 331 No. 7th. 12 8 10

UNFURNISHED room, suitable for office or light housekeeping. 112 No. 5th. 11 29 tf

TWO NICELY furnished sleeping rooms with bath. Heated, 715 Gould. 12 7 9

FOUR NEATLY furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 2209-C. 12 8 10

TWO MODERN light housekeeping rooms. Adults. 1015 Ferry. 12 8 9

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 709 Avon. Phone 1828-A. 12 8 10

FOR RENT—Furnished city heated room. 821 Cass. 12 8 14

FURNISHED room for select roomer. 202 No. 8th. 12 8 10

NEWLY furnished modern room. 907 State. 12 8 10

MODERN furnished rooms. 517 So. 4th. 12 6 12

TABLE BOARD—$5 week. 627 Vine. 12 8 14

FURNISHED room for rent. 805 Main. 12 6 12

ROOM and board. 631 State. 12 6 9

For Rent—Houses and Flats

FOR RENT—January 1st, modern 7-room bungalow. Inquire 917 Rose street. Phone 1044-Green. 12 7 10

FOR SALE

Modern, nicely arranged ten room house.

$6,000.00

1601 Avon St.

FOR RENT—A house, No. 2003 Wood street. Inquire of T. P. Dwyer, No. 1548 George St. 12 8 10

FOR SALE OR RENT—Two-room furnished house on 21st and Park Ave. Phone 1972-A. 12 8 10

FOR RENT—Seven-room cottage. Inquire 1308 South 6th. 12 8 9

FOUR-ROOM lower flat for rent. North side. Call 1312-A. 12 8 9

For Rent—Miscellaneous

DEAD STORAGE for automobiles. Reasonable rental charge, corner Front and Mt. Vernon. Phone 20. 12 5 11

GARAGE FOR RENT—231 So. 8th. Phone 1608-Red. 12 6 8

FOR RENT—Place to store a Ford car. Phone 564-M. 12 7 8

GARAGE FOR RENT—429 South Fifth. 12 6 8

GARAGE—421 So. 10th. Phone 1563-A. 12 8 10

GARAGE FOR RENT—1015 Ferry. 12 7 9

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday, being the 26th day of December, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Joseph Schams, Jr., Executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Schams, Sr., late of the Town of Shelby, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court.

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

JOHN F. DOHERTY,

Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Prove Will and Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—In Probate.

In Re Estate of Peter North, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That at the regular term of said court to be held on the first Tuesday, being the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1923, at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, County of La Crosse, and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered, the application of Emil North, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Peter North, late of the Town of Shelby, in said county, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor, (or, administrator with will annexed);

Notice is hereby further given, That at the regular term of said court to be held at said Court House, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of May, A. D. 1923, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Peter North, deceased:

And notice is hereby further given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said county and state, on or before four months from the date hereof or be barred.

Dated December 7th, 1922.

By the Court.

JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.

BALDWIN AND BOSSHARD,

Attorneys.

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The application of George Schaller, Administrator of the estate of Frank Schaller, late of the town of Onalaska, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court.

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

OTTO M. SCHLABACH,

Attorney for Administrator.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Police Department Examination For Drivers and Patrolmen

The Police and Fire Commission of the City of La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin, will on Wednesday, January 3, at 8 o'clock P. M. hold an examination at the City Hall in said city, for applicants for positions as automobile drivers and also for applicants for positions at patrolmen, on the Police Force of said city.

Application blanks may be procured upon request from Police Chief John H. Webber and information concerning examinations may be had from him or any of the undersigned.

Dated December 7th, 1922.

By order of,—

POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION,

FRED H. HARTWELL, President.

FRANK L. KOPPELBERGER, Secretary.

C. W. TISDALE,

HARRY TAGGERT,

J. T. KERRIGAN.

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The application of Agnes Millard, Administratrix of the estate of Richard J. Lyons, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of her final account as such administratrix and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court.

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

MAHONEY AND SCHUBERT,

Attorneys for Administratrix.

Rooms 312-313 Linker Building.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed

(A. Grams & Sons)

"Wingold" Flour, 98-pound cotton sacks, per barrel .... $ 8.60

"Wingold" Flour, 49-pound cotton sacks, per barrel 8.80

"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel 8.79

"Wingold" Flour, 12½-pound paper sacks, per barrel 8.90

"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel 9.50

Mill Feed

"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound sacks, per ton 29.00

"Bay State" Std. Midds in 100-pound sacks, per ton 30.00

Diamond "C" Lowgrade, in 100-pound sacks, per ton 37.00

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Miller-Ross Company)

Butter 51½-55½c

Eggs 45c

Fruits

Face and Fill Jonathans, per box .$1.60

Extra Fancy Delicious, per box .. 3.25

Fancy Delicious, per box 3.00

Fancy Waslin Jonathans, per box 2.25

New York apples, bu. basket 1.50

Grape Fruit, per box 4.50-5.25

California Navel oranges 5.00-6.25

Onions, pound 2c

Grapes, Lugs 2.75

Oysters, gallon 2.70-3.25

Cheese, Twins, pound 28c

Cider, Clarified, hf. bbl. 5.00

Bananas, pound 9c

Cranberries, 50 lb. box 7.50

Cranberries, pc berries 4.00

Rutabagas, pound 1½c

Bulk Dates, pound 10c

Package Figs, box 1.75-3.50

Mixed Nuts, lb. 17c

Celery, dozen 50-75-85c

Lettuce, per box 40c

Schams Bros.

Hogs .... $5.50 to $7.00

Lambs .... $7.00 to $9.00

Sheep .... $3.00 to $4.00

Steers .... $4.00 to $8.00

Heifers .... $4.00 to $5.00

Cows .... $2.00 to $4.00

Cheese

(Quoted by Henry Anderegg)

Full cream brick cheese 26-28c

Full cream block Swiss 28-30c

Full cream long horn 26-28c

Limburger cheese 27-28c

American Twin 24-28c

Prim ost 10-12c

Hand cheese, per box $1.25

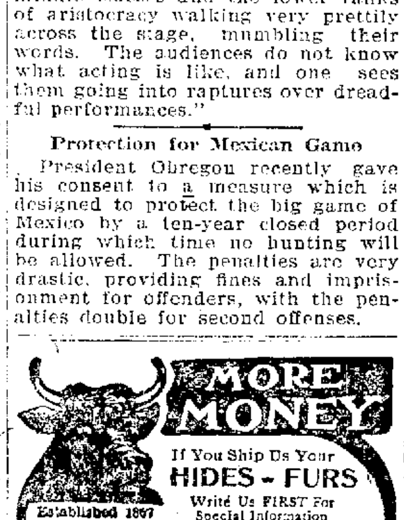
Acting a Lost Art

London has a First Nighters' Club and at a recent meeting St. John Ervine, the president, said:

"The British theatre is very near its last gasp. I sometimes wonder whether we know what acting is. We see people from the higher ranks of the middle classes and the lower ranks of aristocracy walking very prettily across the stage, mumbling their words. The audiences do not know what acting is like, and one sees them going into raptures over dreadful performances."

Protection for Mexican Game

President Obregon recently gave his consent to a measure which is designed to protect the big game of Mexico by a ten-year closed period during which time no hunting will be allowed. The penalties are very drastic, providing fines and imprisonment for offenders, with the penalties double for second offenses.



DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds at 1 p. m.:

3½s	100.44	Victory 4¾s	
Second 4s	98.30	uncalled	100.32
First 4¼s	98.04	Victory 4¾s	
Second 4¼s	98.41	called	100.00
Third 4¼s	98.88	New 4¼s	99.74
Fourth 4¼s	98.70		

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—Irregular price changes at the opening of Friday's stock market continued to reflect the play of opposing forces. Special buying operations were conducted in a few specialties, National Lead being pushed up 2¾ to a new high record for the year, the preferred advancing two, May Department Stores duplicating its previous top Piggly Wiggly establishing a new peak price on the gain of 1 point. The list turned heavy soon after the opening in response to heavy offering of the rail shares and some of the speculative favorites, notably Studebaker, Baldwin, Corn Products and Continental Can, all of which declined large fractions to 1½ points. Material recessions also took place in St. Paul common and preferred, New York Central, Union Pacific and Great Northern preferred, Crucible, International Harvester and Utah Copper were also reactionary. Foreign exchanges opened firm.

Scattered short selling and liquidation continued during most of the morning. Studebaker was pushed up 2½ points above Thursday's closing. Corn Products two and Baldwin, Chandler and Westinghouse Air Brake 1 to 1½. Railroad shares, several of which had dropped a point or more during the early reaction, also showed signs of recovery but the rebound in these issues was not as extensive as it was in the industrials.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Although unexpected declines in Liverpool led to a downturn here in the wheat market at Liverpool at the outset Friday, a rally soon took place. Gossip, however, that the president would address congress Friday and might urge farm relief legislation helped to renew bullish sentiment. The opening, which ranged from ⅛ to ⅜c lower, with May $1.16¾ to ½ and July $1.07¾ to ⅞, was followed by an interval of hesitancy and then by gains all around.

After brief summaries of the president's message had been circulated the market eased down, the summaries failing to equal bullish antications in regard to agriculture. Closing prices nevertheless were firm at the same as Thursday's finish to one cent higher, May $1.17¾ to ⅞ and July $1.08 to ¼.

Corn paralleled the action of wheat. After opening ⅛ to ⅜c lower, May 69⅝ to ¾ the market scored slight gains.

Subsequently increased receipts had a bearish effect. The market closed unsettled, at the same as Thursday's finish to ⅛ to ¼c lower, with May 69⅞ to 70c.

Oats started a shade to ⅛c off, May 43c, sagged a little more, and then began to climb.

Provisions were firm.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	118⅝	119⅝	118¼	119¼
May	117⅛	117⅞	116¾	117¼
July	107⅞	108½	107⅝	108½
CORN—				
Dec.	70⅛	70¾	70⅛	70⅝
May	69¾	70¼	69½	69⅞
July	69⅜	69⅞	69¼	69⅝
OATS—				
Dec.	43	44¼	43	44¼
May	43	43¾	42¾	43½
July	40⅛	40¼	40	40⅛
PORK—				
Blank.				
LARD—				
Jan.	10.05	10.07	10.00	10.00
May	10.25	10.27	10.20	10.20
RIBS—				
Jan.	....	....	....	9.72
May	....	....	....	9.52

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Bureau of Markets—Hogs—Receipts 26,000; steady to strong; bulk, 140 to 270 pound averages, $8.30 to $8.35; bulk packing sows, $7.50 to $7.80; desirable pigs, $8.10 to $8.25; medium, $8.25 to $8.35; light, $8.20 to $8.35; packing sows, smooth, $7.60 to $8.00; rough, $7.30 to $7.65; killing pigs, $8.00 to $8.20.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000; beef steers and better grades beef cows and heifers strong to 15c higher; killing quality plain; best yearlings, $11.00; bulk native beef steers, $8.50 to $10.00; lower grades cows and heifers, canners, cutters and bulls slow, veal calves uneven; choice kind steady to shippers, packers bidding lower; stockers and feeders slow.

Sheep—Receipts 5,500; fat lambs opening strong to 15c higher, early top $15.50 to packers; desirable 90-pound clipped fed lambs $13.00; feeders quiet, fed 95-pound yearling wethers, $12.80; sheep steady; aged 124-pound wethers, $8.00.

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.31½; No. 2 hard, $1.21 to $1.23.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 72 to ¾c; No. 2 yellow, 72 to ¼c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 45 to ¾c; No. 3 white, 43 to 44½c.

Rye—No. 2, 86c.

Barley—68 to 75c.

Timothy seed—$6.00 to $6.75.

Clover seed—$15.00 to $20.00.

Lard—$10.87.

Ribs—$10.00 to $11.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill. — Butter — Higher; creamery extras, 55½c; standards, 51c; extra firsts, 51 to 54½c; firsts, 45 to 49c; seconds, 41 to 43c.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts 2,563 cases; firsts, 49 to 52c; ordinary firsts, 42 to 45c; miscellaneous, 46 to 50c; refrigerator extras, 29¾c; refrigerator firsts, 27 to 28½c.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Dull; receipts 58 cars; total United States shipments, 548; Wisconsin sacked round whites, 70 to 80c cwt.; ditto bulk, 75 to 85c cwt.; Minnesota and North Dakota, sacked round whites, 70 to 80c cwt.; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked Red River Ohios, 75c cwt.; Idaho sacked Russets No. 1, unbranded, $1.20 cwt.; Idaho sacked Rurals No. 1, $1.05 cwt.; bakers Rurals, $1.35 to $1.40 cwt.; Michigan bulk round whites, 75 to 85c cwt.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour 5 to 15c higher; in carload lots, Family Patents quoted $5.70 to $6.80 a barrel in 98-pound cotton sacks. Shipments, 55,064 barrels.

Bran—$22.50 to $23.00.

The Origin of Ice Cream Contested

The editor of a British ice cream and soda water trade publication says ice cream was not invented by an American negro, but was known to the Romans and to the Chinese and Japs in 1200 A. D. In 1560, when Queen Catherine de Medici left Florence to marry the king of France, she took Italian ice cream chefs with her, whilst Charles I had a cook who possessed the secret recipe.

A One Meal a Day Cult

Dr. Webb-Johnson is the bitter foe of the British breakfast and the advocate of the "one-meal-a-day" plan. Next month will issue from the press a new book which he has written on diet for women. It will probably cause considerable comment among womankind, for among the doctor's revolutionary statements is one to the effect that most women eat too much!

Sleeping Cars in Midair

The soviet government of Russia is responsible for the establishment of a sleeping car airplane service between Moscow and Berlin, the first of its kind in the world, and the innovation is said to have been a success from the start. This is part of an extensive air service between Russia and Germany connecting the cities of Hamburg, Stettin, Danzig, Koenigsberg, Kovno, Riga and Moscow. Much of the mail matter between these points is carried in this manner and there has been a great saving in the matter of time in getting letters between these points.

Electric Coupe For Sale

Four passenger Columbia electric coupe, good running condition, solid rubber cushion tires. Real bargain for quick sale, $175.

WM. DOERFLINGER.

All Wisconsin Is Invited to Milwaukee Dec. 14 to 20

This advertisement is published in all of the forty-six daily papers of Wisconsin. It is The Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light Company's cordial invitation to all Wisconsin folks, and especially to our thousands of investors throughout the state, to attend the great Wisconsin Products Exposition which will be held in the Milwaukee Auditorium, Dec. 14 to 20.

Wisconsin produces a greater variety of crops than any other state except California, and they will all be represented at their best in this Exposition. Wisconsin is one of the foremost manufacturing states, and her factory products will be exhibited in amazing variety. Interesting and profitable knowledge is to be gained at the Exposition by even the best informed residents of the state.

We want you all to know Milwaukee — the cleanest, solidest, safest, most law-abiding and best-governed large city in America. We want our Wisconsin shareholders and other investors to become acquainted with the great property and business in which they have invested. It is the largest electric service company in Wisconsin, and one of the strongest in the United States.

Financing its growth here at home, with the State's approval, Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light Co. is now selling, direct to investors, the last half of a $3,000,000 issue of its 7% cumulative preferred shares, at $100 each. Whether you pay all cash, or buy them on monthly payments of $5 or more per share, you get 7% on every dollar invested from the day you put it into this company. The company has paid preferred share dividends regularly every three months for twenty-three years. It has paid common share dividends averaging 8% yearly every year for twenty-one years. Your investment in cumulative preferred shares now on sale will bring you a cash dividend of $1.75 per share on March 1, June 1, Sept 1 and Dec. 1, every year. The shares are preferred both as to dividends and assets. Each share has a first claim on more than $200 of State-regulated income-producing property, over and above all debts. Our Securities Department maintains an open market for the shares, in which they are readily salable in case of need.

If you have idle money, or if you wish to get 7% interest on your current savings, come in and talk this over with us. Mail orders filled promptly by registered letter.

Securities Department

THE MILWAUKEE ELECTRIC RAILWAY & LIGHT CO.

Public Service Bldg.,

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

HOUSES FOR SALE

Five-room all modern bungalow and garage, located on Mormon Coulee Road near street car line. Price $3,600.

New six-room modern bungalow, garage, five lots; located in La Crescent. Bargain at $5,000.

Two lots and five-room cottage. $500 down, balance like rent.

Large lot and three-room house; located at 7th and Denton streets. Look this over and make us an offer. Immediate possession.

All modern eight-room dwelling; hot water heat; located at 8th and State streets; present income $70 per month. This is a good investment. Price $5,500.

Six-room partly modern dwelling, one and one-half lots; located at 6th and Market streets. Price for a quick sale, $3,250.

One story, eight-room brick dwelling, partly modern. Arranged so that it may be occupied by two families; located on South Eighth street. Price $3,800.

Eight-room all modern dwelling; hot water heat; garage and full lot; located on Adams street near West Avenue. Price $5,800.

Seven-room brick dwelling, modern excepting heat; located at 14th and Winnebago streets. Price $4,500.

Four-room cottage, modern excepting heat; located at 23rd street near Cass. Price $3,000.

Two story seven-room new frame dwelling; all modern; located on Winnebago street near Sixth. Price $6,500.

Five-room cottage, partly modern; located on Winnebago street near street car line. Price $3,300.

All modern five-room bungalow with garage; located on Mississippi street near Hogan school. Price $4,000.

Partly modern six-room frame dwelling; small payment down, balance like rent. Price $3,250.

Two story frame dwelling; four rooms upstairs and four rooms downstairs; partly modern; occupied by two families; located on George and Livingston streets. Price $3,750.

Five-room all modern bungalow with sun porch and breakfast room; very good interior finish; located on West Avenue North. Price $7,800.

W. J. HICKISCH & SONS

203 South Fourth Street.

Greatest Sale of Grade Guernseys Ever Held in Wisconsin

200 head; the choicest lot of Grade Guernseys ever brought together. O. G. Clark will sell his entire holdings of Guernsey Grades at West Salem, Wisconsin,

THURSDAY, DEC. 14, at 1:00 P. M.

He will offer 125 big fine cows all close to calving, and about 75 high grade springing Guernsey Heifers. Greatest opportunity ever offered to buy producing cows. Attend by all means.

O. G. CLARK and OLIVER JOHNSON, Auctioneers.

G. W. DUDLEY, Clerk. H. W. GRISWOLD, Sale Manager.

CONSTITUTION OF WISCONSIN STILL IN ORIGINAL FORM

Only State in Nation West of Alleghenies Which Has Retained First Constitution

MADISON, Wis.—Wisconsin is the only state west of the Alleghenies whose constitution has not been changed from its original form by a constitutional convention. This was learned as the result of the legislative studies of E. E. Witte, head of the legislative reference library.

"Wisconsin was voted to adopt her constitution in 1848," said Mr. Witte. "Since that time we have had no constitutional convention and very few amendments have been passed, in that we have had no constitutional convention since we were admitted as a state. Wisconsin stands alone in this respect from every state west of the Alleghenies.

"Those who think Wisconsin radical will have to take this unique position into their consideration in the future. Right at the present time Illinois is considering a new constitution while here in Wisconsin the voters are even turning down the great majority of the proposed amendments."

Preparing For Battle

This was at a solemn conference preceding a church wedding. There were present the groom, the best man, the ushers and the guest list.

"You understand," said the best man, "you meet 'em when they come in and ask 'em if they are friends of the bride or the groom."

"And then what?" asked the head usher.

"Why, you seat the friends of the bride on one side of the church and the friends of the groom on the other. It's the custom."

"I can't see the use o' that," said the head usher. "They'll take sides soon enough."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Moved Town Off Iron Bed

Between $15,000,000 and $18,000,000 was spent in moving Hibbing, Minn., off the iron ore bed it had grown upon. The town now stands two miles distant from the 40,000,000 tons of ore it had locked up.—Davenport Times.

Which is Larger the Sun or a Cent

The sun is the largest but you can hold the cent so close to your eye that you'll lose sight of the sun.

Don't let a cheap price or a big can baking powder make you lose sight of quality

CALUMET

The Economy BAKING POWDER

Is the quality leavener—for real economy in the kitchen, always use Calumet, one trial will convince you.

Its sales are 2½ times as much as that of any other brand.

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

Newark

HIGH SHOES for WOMEN

Stylish Attractive Seasonable

$3.50

America's Greatest Shoe Value

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95 CENT SALE

What 95 cents will buy during this great money-saving

sale, commencing SATURDAY, Dec. 9th, and continuing for one week. Merchandise purchased for this event—every article worth more than marked. This is an opportunity to select Christmas presents at a big saving. Listed below you will find a few of the many bargains. Shop here and you will economize.

One lot of Brassieres, slightly soiled, worth $1.50, during this sale for **95c**

2 yards of fancy Sateen worth 75c a yard, for... **95c**

One lot of odd Corsets in pink and white, all sizes, worth up to $3.00, for **95c**

2 Brassieres or Bandeaux worth 65c each, for **95c**

Ladies' Kid Gloves, in mocha and glace, per pair **95c**

3 pair Knit Bloomers, worth 50c each, for..... **95c**

6 Huck Towels, worth 25c each, for **95c**

15 Wash Cloths, worth 10c each, for..... **95c**

4 Turkish Towels, worth 35c each, for **95c**

3 Turkish Towels, worth 50c each, for **95c**

2 Turkish Towels, in plain and fancies, worth 65c and 75c each, for **95c**

7 yards of part linen Toweling, worth 25c a yard, for **95c**

5 yards of all pure linen Crash Toweling, worth 29c a yard, for **95c**

4 yds. of all linen Toweling, worth 35c yd., for **95c**

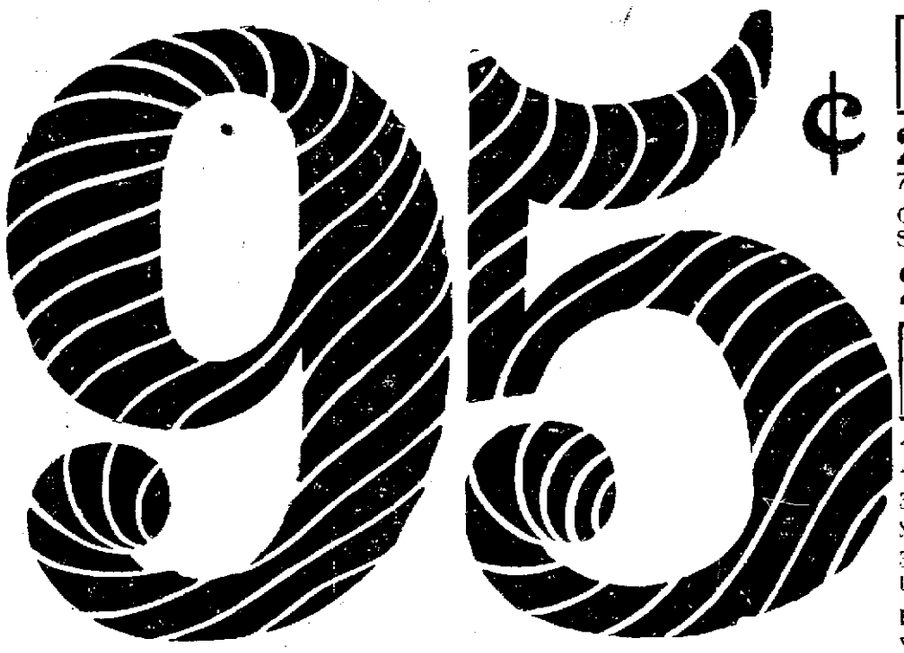
2 yards of Mercerized Table Linen, worth 65c a yard, for **95c**

5 yards of Cheviot, choice patterns for men's shirts or house dresses, worth 25c yard, for **95c**

7 yards of Outing Flannel for **95c**

5 yards of Cretonne, worth 29c a yard, for **95c**

3 pair of Children's heavy ribbed Hose, black and brown worth 50c a pair, for..... **95c**



6 Napkins, hemmed, ready for use, worth $1.95, for **95c**

4 pair of Children's or Ladies' Hose, worth 50c a pair, for **95c**

3 yards of Dress Gingham, worth 50c yard, for..... **95c**

3 yards of Kimono Flannel, worth 39c yard, for..... **95c**

All broken lots of Silk Hosiery that sold up to $2.50 a pair, for **95c**

2 pair of Ladies' Lisle Hose, in black and colors, worth 65c and 75c a pair, for **95c**

One lot of Ladies' Union Suits, worth a lot more, for.. **95c**

2 yards of Eleda Silk, worth 79c a yard, for **95c**

Fancy Silks, suitable for kimonos and coat linings, worth $1.75 a yard, for..... **95c**

1½ yards of silk striped Shirting, worth $1 yard **95c**

36-inch Poplin, on sale at per yard **95c**

36-inch Corduroy Velvet, at the yard **95c**

French and Storm Serge, worth $1.25 a yard, for..... **95c**

20 Handkerchiefs for **95c**

6 Colored Handkerchiefs, 25c value, for **95c**

3 Fancy Linen Handkerchiefs for **95c**

6 Men's Handkerchiefs for **95c**

3 Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, worth 35c ea., for **95c**

10 Ladies' fancy Handkerchiefs for **95c**

2 pair of Chamoisette Gloves for **95c**

Ladies' Gauntlet Chamoisette Gloves for **95c**

Long Chamoisette Gloves, at per pair **95c**

2 Fancy Hair Pins worth 75c each, for **95c**

Special Values in Hats

Trimmed Hats in Velvets, all black, brown, red, henna, values to $10.00, at..... **$4.95**

Another assortment at $2.45.

SPORT HATS *in Felt, assorted colors, during this great sale your choice only* **95c**

Children's Union Suits, special at **95c**

SPECIALS in 95c SALE

Three Special Blanket Bargains During This Sale Only.

LOT 1—66x80 double plaid Blankets, wool finish, worth $4.25, for **$2.95**

LOT 2—66x80 double wool finish plaid Blankets, worth $6.00, for **$4.95**

LOT 3—Plaid wool finish Blankets, 70x80, worth $7.98, for **$5.95**

Come early as these bargains won't last long.

Other Sale Specials Priced Right, and Good Bargains.

Red and navy all wool Middies, worth $5.00, special at **$3.95**

Bath Robes, made of Beacon Flannel, at... **$3.95**

Three special Dress Bargains during this sale, in silk and wool—

$9.95 $19.95 $29.95

Jersey Silk Petticoats, worth $4.00, for **$2.95**

Extra Special Bargains During this Sale in Silk and Muslin Underwear.

ONE LOT OF SWEATERS in silk and wool, values up to $10.00, for **$4.95**

2 pair of Ladies' Silk and Wool Hose, black and colors, side clockings, worth $2.00 and $2.25 a pair, for..... **$2.95**

Do not fail to look over the special Coat bargains. If you haven't bought your Coat you can buy one at a big saving at this sale.

Basement Store Specials

CLOTH AND PLUSH COATS, worth double, real bargains, during this sale **$14.95**

Bungalow Aprons, in light and dark colors, regular and extra sizes, never sold for less than $1.39 up to $1.69, for **95c**

Children's Gingham Dresses, sold for $1.50, for **95c**

Ladies' Gingham Jumper Dresses, can be worn for an apron also, worth $1.98, for... **95c**

Wash Waists, in white and colors, slightly soiled, values up to $3.98, for **95c**

Ladies' Outing Flannel Night Gowns, worth $1.50, during this sale for..... **95c**

Ladies' Sateen Bloomers, black and colors, worth up to $1.98, for **95c**

Ladies' Silk Camisoles, worth $1.50, for **95c**

One lot of Middies, slightly soiled, for **95c**

One large table of Chemise, made of Crepe and extra fine Nainsook, values up to $2.00, during this sale for **95c**

Children's Sateen and Gingham Rompers, Creepers and Dresses, worth up to $1.25 **95c**

Comforter size Cotton Batts, for **95c**

2 Gingham Aprons for **95c**

2 Children's Bloomers, sold at 69c and 85c, for **95c**

2 Corset Covers, embroidery trimmed, for **95c**

2 Children's Gingham Rompers for **95c**

2 Gingham Apron Dresses, worth $1.95 each, now for **$2.95**

2 pair of Ladies' Bloomers, in plain and fancy sateens, including extra sizes, sold for $2.00 a pair, for.. **$2.95**

Ladies' Gingham and Percale House Dresses, sold up to $4.98, at **$1.95**

Black and Colored Petticoats, values up to $3.59, now at **$1.95**

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